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To the Printers of the PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Meſſieurs HALL and SELLERS,

'I Have, with all the compoſure imaginable, overlooked the torrent of incomprehenſible abuſe which has been, of late, ſo plentifully beſtowed on the Theatre, thoſe who countenance it, and the perſormers; nor do I now intend to enter into a controverſy with the gentlemen who have attacked me in ſo indecent, ſo illiberal, a manner: People of underſtanding, who are unprejudiced, will judge for themſelves; nor will it be in my power, or that of my doughty adverſaries, to bias them: But as I have reaſon to think that the greater number, by far, of thoſe who are enemies to the Theatre, are unacquainted with the nature and tendency of *Dramatic Entertainments*, I am of opinion that the following eſſay, written at New-York about five years ago, but not publiſhed, as the oppoſition to which it refers ſubſided, will not, at this time, be an improper addreſs to them, as it preſents an impartial view of the good effects a well regulated Theatre muſt undoubtedly have on the manners of a people. However my profeſſion may ſubject me to the cenſure of the more rigid part of the world, I declare, and it is my heart that ſpeaks, I ſhould look forward with terror, if I thought myſelf engaged in a buſineſs that could be productive of the horrid conſequences imputed to it; on the contrary, I am firmly perſuaded, that numbers may, and daily do, derive ſingular advantages from the well wrought ſcenes of Plays: And in that conviction, I flatter myſelf I may, without arrogance, preſume that I am not entirely unuſeful to ſociety.

'I am, gentlemen,

'Your moſt humble ſervant,

Feb. 16, 1767. 'D. DOUGLASS.'

Omne tulit punctum, qui miſcuit utile dulci,
Lectorem delectando, pariterque monendo. HOR.

THE above citation is what Horace adviſes every dramatic poet, who writes a play, to have in his view, viz. to mix the uſeful with the agreeable, in ſuch a manner as not only to pleaſe and divert his reader, but likewiſe at the ſame time to inſtruct and admoniſh him.-----As there is a diſpute ſubſiſting at preſent in this place relating to plays, I have choſe this ſentiment for an introduction to a few thoughts on the ſubject. It has happened in this diſpute, as in moſt others, that the diſputants often leave the merits of the cauſe, and grow perſonal, giving the whole of what is ſaid ſome political or religious party turn: This is certainly not the way to come at truth, though I believe one may venture to aſſert, without breach of charity, that truth is very ſeldom the thing ſought for by party diſputants.

Though I profeſs myſelf a friend to the entertainments of the ſtage, under proper regulations, and think it, to uſe the words of the famous Addiſon, a noble diverſion, invented for the accompliſhment and refining of human nature: Though this, I ſay, be my opinion in general, yet I am far from pretending that the Engliſh writers of plays have always obſerved the above Horation precept; on the contrary, I am very ſenſible ſeveral of them have ſhewn characters that were really immoral, in too amiable a point of light, and as worthy of imitation; which is a moſt unpardonable fault, and expreſly againſt the rules of the drama, drawn from the precepts and practice of the antient Greeks and Romans, from whence originally we had our models. There is no harm at all in repreſenting vicious characters upon the ſtage (always keeping within the bounds of decency) provided they are painted in ſuch deteſtable colours, as to raiſe horror and indignation in the ſpectators, againſt vice. But undoubtedly a contrary conduct may have very bad effects. To found the mirth of comedy, for example (as is ſometimes the caſe) upon the violation of the marriage bed; when, to uſe Mr. Addiſon's expreſſions again, "the poet ſo contrives matters, that the two criminals are the "favourites of the audience: We ſit ſtill, and wiſh well to them "through the whole play, are pleaſed when they meet with "proper opportunities, and out of humour when they are diſ"appointed. The cuckold-maker too, ſhall not only appear the "politeſt and beſt bred gentleman of the play, but in the end "be rewarded with the fineſt lady and greateſt fortune."---Whenever, I ſay, vice is repreſented in ſo amiable a point of light, I ſhall freely acknowledge the theatre to be a dangerous place, which no man of virtue ought to encourage. But no ſuch plays ought to be permitted, for I deſire it may be remembered, that it is a ſtage, under proper limitations and reſtrictions, which I am defending, and which I am convinced would be ſo far from having any pernicious tendency, that I think, with Mr. Addiſon, it might contribute its aſſiſtance to the advancement of morality, and the reformation of the age; or, in Mr. Pope's elegant poetic language, it would ſerve

To wake the ſoul by tender ſtrokes of art,
To raiſe the genius, and to mend the heart;
To make mankind in conſcious virtue bold,
Live o'er each ſcene, and be what they behold.

We grant then, the oppoſers of the ſtage, that all plays of an immoral tendency ought to be diſcouraged and ſuppreſſed: But ſurely no man, converſant with the theatre, will pretend to ſay all, or even a tenth part of the Engliſh plays, are of that ſort. The works of the immortal Shakeſpear (that great diſſector of the human heart) alone, perhaps contain many more ſtriking moral reflections on the different incidents of human life, than thoſe of any other Engliſh writer whatever. If indeed, according to a late writer in number 155 of Weyman's gazette, "the play-houſe was an infernal ſchool of impiety, where the great ſovereign of the univerſe was treated with levity and outrage, where almoſt every ſentence is larded with oaths and imprecations, and the ear gradually familiarized to the moſt ſhocking blaſphemies." If this, I ſay, was the caſe, I ſhould entirely agree with this writer, that it would be a ſhame and a ſcandal for any worthy or virtuous perſon to give the ſmalleſt countenance to it.---But in the name of wonder and amazement, what play-houſe has this gentleman frequented to hear ſuch things? I will venture to ſay not the play-houſe of New-York; becauſe no immoral plays, that I recollect, have been acted there at all, nor indeed do I believe, he would hear any ſuch horrid things as he mentions, in any play-houſe upon the face of the earth.

But as he calls the place he ſpeaks of, *an infernal ſchool of impiety*, if he has viſited the *infernal regions*, I don't doubt but he might have heard ſuch language in Beelzebub's play-houſe, if he has one, for I think it morally impoſſible that any other than damned ſpirits, in a ſtate of eternal deſpair, could ever be agreeably entertained by hearing the great, good and glorious ſovereign of the univerſe, treated with OUTRAGE.----The very thought ſeems to me, to be ſhocking to human nature.---This writer muſt know, that great numbers of people of the beſt character of both ſexes in New-York, go frequently to the play-houſe; and to ſuppoſe that they would take a pleaſure in hearing *ſhocking blaſphemies*, is, to give it the ſofteſt appellation, the height of preſumption. The beſt apology to be made for this gentleman's behaviour, is, that he errs through ignorance, but as he ſeems to be ſo well acquainted with his bible, he muſt know that a decent reſpect to his ſuperiors is there ſtrongly inculcated.

Perhaps he never was in a play-houſe; and has taken his abſurd notions, not from a rational examination of the nature of dramatic entertainments, and a candid peruſal of plays themſelves; but from the partial and prejudiced account given of them by ſome hot-brained enthuſiaſts, who never make the ſmalleſt ceremony of ſending all that differ in opinion with them, a packing to hell.

What favours this opinion is, that in ſome of his charges, he has diſcovered the groſſeſt ignorance about ſeveral of the moſt frequently acted plays in the Engliſh language. For example, where he ſays, "and as to the idea of honour inculcated in this "worſe than heathen temple, in what does it conſiſt, but in "running your friend through the body for an inadvertent ex"preſſion, or in impoveriſhing your family by the caſt of a dye?" Now it happens unluckily that there are two noted plays writ expreſly againſt theſe two vices. Sir Richard Steele, the author of the Conſcious Lovers, has explicitly declared, that he wrote that whole play for the ſake of one ſcene in it, to diſcourage that pernicious practice of *duelling*.---And with reſpect to *gaming*, I thought every body had been acquainted with that famous tragedy called the Gamſter; nothing, in my humble opinion, can place that vice in a more deteſtable light, than the diſtreſs of that play.----Soon afterwards he talks of *the temptation that ſervants and apprentices meet with* (at plays) *to embezzle their maſters property, by having their paſſions inflamed by ſcenes of obſcenity and luſt*.---In this inſtance too, our reformer has been very unfortunate, for the well known tragedy of George Barnwell was evidently deſigned to put unwary youth on their guard, to warn and deter them, by a moving and dreadful example, from falling a prey to thoſe very temptations he mentions.----But enough I fancy has been ſaid, to ſhew, that this ſevere *cenſor* was extremely ignorant of the ſubject he wrote upon.

By the parade the ſame writer has made about laws and legiſlators, it is poſſible, he may have made ſuch matters more his ſtudy; though I confeſs, I do not underſtand what he has ſaid upon that ſubject---He talks of *its being the duty of Legiſlators to ſuperintend the morals of the people, without this* (he ſays) *the force of laws will be found utterly inſufficient*----Without this? Without what?----I ſhould be glad to know, in what manner Legiſlatures can *ſuperintend* the morals of the people, otherwiſe than by making good laws?----'Tis afterwards, in a ſtrange round-about-way, alledged, that human laws ſtand in need of the ſanctions of future rewards and puniſhments, to render them effectual; and then it is artfully inſinuated (for it was too barefaced a falſhood to aſſert, and nothing elſe would anſwer his purpoſe) that plays inculcate the diſbelief of a future retribution-----Take from him this ſuppoſition, which he neither ventures to aſſert, nor offers the ſmalleſt proof of, and all he has ſaid about its being the duty of the Civil Magiſtrate to ſuppreſs Plays, falls to the ground: Let him only read that famous ſpeech in Mr. Addiſon's Cato, beginning, "It muſt "be ſo, Plato thou reaſoneſt well," &c. and if he has any modeſty left, I think he muſt be aſhamed of ſo unfair an inſinuation.

Thoſe who have a mind to ſee the ſubject handled in a maſterly way, may turn to the 446th Spectator, from whence ſeveral things already quoted are taken. Mr. Addiſon wrote the paper, and he has been ever acknowledged, not only one of the fineſt Criticks of his age, but a man, whoſe life and writings did honour to his country, and to the Chriſtian Religion, for which he ſhewed himſelf to be a zealous and able advocate. Yet it is certain, he did not think the entertainments of the Stage inconſiſtent with the precepts of the Goſpel, for he wrote both a Comedy and a Tragedy himſelf, and I fancy it will be allowed, that he underſtood his Bible full as well as thoſe *wiſe Ones*, who have made mention of it in this diſpute. Nay, what is more, St. Paul himſelf, in that very Bible, has borrowed and applied a paſſage out of a play of Euripides, where he ſays, "Evil Commu"nication corrupts good manners." Mr. Addiſon diſtinguiſhed juſtly betwixt the uſe and abuſe of a thing.----Has the Stage been abuſed? So has the Pulpit. Have there been many profligate Players? I ſuſpect it will be inſiſted upon, that there have been full as many graceleſs Parſons, call them the *venerable Stewards of the Sacred Oracles*, or what you pleaſe. But, ought a good Clergyman to ſuffer on this account? By no means: Neither ought a decent and orderly Player to be reckoned an *idle vagrant*, or a *peſtilent ſtroller*, becauſe there have been many ſuch of the ſame profeſſion. The great Cicero was not aſhamed to profeſs the warmeſt friendſhip, in the moſt public manner, for the actor Roſcius, and to make him his intimate companion. The *firſt Actors* at home ſhare the ſame favours with the great, and it is well known *thoſe* of this Company, on account of their modeſt and genteel deportment, are taken particular notice of, and careſſed by the beſt familes in America.

The ſame ſort of groſs miſrepreſentations of the theatre have been given in England, Scotland, and Ireland, as well as other parts in North-America, but by whom, and to what purpoſe? Let the crouded audiences, where the moſt reſpectable characters of both ſexes are ever to be ſeen in all theſe places, anſwer; for though it is granted ſome well-meaning, and, in other reſpects, ſenſible people, may have conceived unreaſonable prejudices againſt the ſtage, yet certainly, amongſt the cool, diſpaſſionate, rational and well educated part of mankind, the friends of the theatre may, by the moſt modeſt computation, reckon at leaſt twenty upon their ſide of the queſtion, for one againſt them. The truth ſeems to be, that thoſe enemies of the theatre who have any pretenſions to ſenſe and learning, are generally people of a gloomy turn of mind, rendered hot and intollerant by enthuſiaſtic notions of religion. For my own part, I do ſolemnly declare, were I convinced, that the preſent encouragement given to Mr. Douglaſs's company of Comedians here (who it is allowed are a decent ſett of people) was any hurt or prejudice to the community, I would very heartily and ſincerely join in the oppoſition, but as I am perſuaded in my conſcience it is quite otherwiſe, and that theatrical entertainments, under due regulations, are not only innocent amuſements, but may be rendered extremely profitable, more eſpecially to youth intended for public ſpeakers of any kind, I ſay, as this is really my opinion, I cannot join in the preſent outcry againſt the ſtage, but with due ſubmiſſion chuſe to take this method of endeavouring to ſet the matter in its proper light. I do not ſee what right any one ſett of men have to *preſcribe* or *proſcribe* the amuſements of others: If I find it agreeable to my health and inclination to go to ſee a play, or take a dance in decent good company, which I certainly may do in a moſt innocent manner, what right, conſiſtent with that liberty which every Britiſh ſubject ought to enjoy, has any man to endeavour to prevent me from amuſing myſelf in that manner? He ſays I ſpend my time and money fooliſhly, and perhaps can't afford it. I am firmly of opinion that thoſe imprudent people, who ſpend what they can't afford this way, would do it in ſome other way; perhaps a worſe. But again I anſwer, pray Sir judge for yourſelf, and give me the ſame liberty. I do not inſiſt upon your going to a ball or a play, neither ought you to take upon you to direct or confine my amuſements. Perhaps it is your taſte to ſpend your evenings in ſitting at home, an ale-houſe, or tavern, over rum, ſtrong beer, punch, wine, ſenſeleſs or turbulent politicks, and the ſmoak of tobacco; give you joy of your taſte, and promiſe, upon my honour, never to join in any petition to the legiſlature to prevent your getting drunk or mad as often as you pleaſe; and yet, begging your pardon Sir, according to my ſimple notion, this is a mighty fooliſh, as well as pernicious way of amuſing yourſelf.---Now that many who put on very grave faces, and cry out againſt the levity of plays and balls, ſpend much time as well as money in the manner deſcribed, or in other ways equally ridiculous, cannot be denied; and as to the numerous band of knaves and hypocrites in the world, it is certain they will ever join the weak ones againſt plays, as their characters are ſo often expoſed and turned into ridicule on the ſtage; ſo that when the grave ſots, gloomy enthuſiaſts, knaves and hypocrites, are deducted from the groſs number of the enemies of the theatre, I cannot help ſuſpecting, that but a very few ſenſible and well meaning people will remain behind.

Upon the whole then, let us, with Mr. Addiſon, cenſure freely, and diſcountenance every degenerate compoſition that may tend to the prejudice of virtue, or the encouragement of vice; but let us likewiſe, with the ſame great Man, conclude, that "were "our Plays ſubject to proper inſpections and limitations, we "might not only paſs away ſeveral of our vacant hours in the "higheſt entertainments, but ſhould always riſe from them wi"ſer and better."

New-York, March 17, 1762.

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A COMMODIOUS TAN-YARD, South Eaſt of the Barracks, to be Lett by JOSHUA EMLEN. ¶

By the Brig GLOBE, *Captain* PARKER, *from Dublin, we have the following Advices, viz.*

WARSAW, November 26.

THE deliberations of the Dyet paſſed very quietly till the 21ſt, when the declarations of the Courts of Ruſſia and Pruſſia, concerning the Greeks and Proteſtants, being read, the Aſſembly became very tumultuous, and many of the Members demanded, with great Impetuoſity, that the Propoſal of the Biſhop of Cracovia ſhould be ſigned. The King finding the Members were in a great Ferment, endeavoured to adjourn the Seſſion to another Day, but not being able to accompliſh it, his Majeſty retired from the Aſſembly. Then the Prince Primate was preſſed to continue the Seſſions, and the Marſhal of the Dyet went ſo far as to declare, in the Name of his Party, that he would not quit the Palace till this Affair was ſettled. This Importunity induced the Prince Primate to retire likewiſe; upon which the Nuncios were ſo irritated, that they ſuddenly left the Senate, in order to go to their own Place of meeting; and finding the Door locked, would have broke it open by Force, if ſome of the Senators had not interpoſed, and moderated their Fury.

The next Day the King addreſſed the States in a Speech, in which he expreſſed his Diſapprobation of the Diſorder which happened the Day before, and, after ſaying he ſhould overlook it, recommended to the Nuncios to behave with more Decency for the future. The firſt Object treated of was the Demand of the Courts of Peterſburgh and Berlin, concerning the Plurality of Voices which was agreed to as to Affairs of Religion; the King declared that he would conſent to have the Propoſal of the Biſhop of Cracovia communicated to the Biſhops and Senators for their Conſideration, and to have their Opinion of it on the Monday following, being the 24th Inſtant. The Primate declared, that he thought this Demand of his Majeſty's very equitable; to which the Biſhop of Cracovia likewiſe acquieſced, but declared at the ſame time, that he would not in the leaſt depart from his Propoſal, and almoſt all the Nuncios were of the ſame Opinion.

Nov. 28. On Monday the 24th, the Propoſal of the Biſhop of Cracovia being again read, there was not a Member of the Aſſembly who dared, or would oppoſe it; ſo that it was generally approved, and afterwards ſigned. This Propoſal contains a Confirmation of the Conſtitutions made againſt the Proteſtants in the Years 1717, 1723, and 1736. This Deciſion, it is eaſy to conceive, will be very diſagreeable to the Courts of Ruſſia and Pruſſia, and we are impatient to know what will be the Determination of thoſe Courts.

Dec. 1. The Day before Yeſterday the Dyet ſat 17 Hours ſucceſſively, ſo that it did not break up till Yeſterday Morning. It was then agreed that the Conſtitutions made againſt the Proteſtants in 1717, 1723, 1736, and 1764, ſhould be again taken into Conſideration, and that it ſhould be declared to the Miniſters from the Courts of Ruſſia, Pruſſia, England and Denmark, that the King and the Republick would have the Grievances of the Proteſtants redreſſed, in caſe any thing had been done to their Detriment, contrary to the Laws, or from a Miſinterpretation of Treaties. It is not thought that the above mentioned Courts will be ſatisfied with this Conceſſion, eſpecially the two firſt, who exert themſelves the moſt in Favour of the Proteſtants.

In the mean time, till the Iſſue of this Affair is known, a Body of 2000 Ruſſian Troops is within two Miles of this City, and Lieutenant General Count de Soltikow, who commands them, is now here.

Naples, Nov. 25. The Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick left Naples on Thurſday laſt, and is returned to Rome. His Serene Highneſs expreſſed the utmoſt Gratitude for the remarkable Civilities and Attentions that have been ſhewn to him by this Court, the Foreign Miniſters, and the Nobility, during his Reſidence in this Capital.

Madrid, Dec. 4. His Catholick Majeſty, and all the Royal Family, after an Abſence of Eight Months, returned hither this Evening, to the great Joy of the Inhabitants: They were received by a conſiderable Part of the Garriſon under Arms.

Dantzick, Nov. 28. It is reported that 1000 Huſſars, and two Regiments of Foot, in the Service of the King of Pruſſia, have entered Great Poland, and occupied Rawitz and that Neighbourhood.

Warſaw, Dec. 1. As the Ruſſian Troops ſtill continue to remain in this Kingdom, the King's Miniſters, and thoſe of the Republick, delivered, on the 4th of November laſt, to Prince Repnin, Ambaſſador from Ruſſia, a Memorial, importing in Subſtance, that the King, after the Demand repeatedly made to the Court of Peterſburgh, for the withdrawing of the Ruſſian Forces out of the Territories of the Republick, had hoped to ſee it at laſt attended with Effect; but that a Memorial from the Biſhop of Vilna, which had juſt been preſented to his Majeſty, proved that this Hope was ill founded, in as much as he had received Advice that another Body of theſe Troops was drawing near to the Environs of this Capital; that in Conſequence thereof the ſaid Miniſters were charged to demand of the Ambaſſador, why the ſaid Troops conducted themſelves in ſo unfriendly a Manner, and to pray, not only that they might be ordered to ceaſe furniſhing any Occaſion for Complaint, but alſo to evacuate immediately the Dominions of the Republick.

We know not whether the Ruſſian Ambaſſador has made any Anſwer to this Memorial, but it is probable that the Repreſentation will be without Effect. Numbers of Perſons are even of Opinion, that thoſe Troops will be followed by more. They found this Conjecture on the Tenure of the Decree which the Dyet iſſued on the 24th of laſt Month, relative to the Affair of the Proteſtants in Poland.

LONDON.

December 23. *They write from Leghorn, that the Republick of Genoa had offered to take a Body of Sardinian Troops in Pay, in order, as was thought, to counteract the Deſigns of the French in the Iſland of Corſica.*

A Letter from New-Caſtle, dated December 20, *ſays,* " *A Perſon of Credit, who came from Carliſle laſt Saturday, ſays, that two Officers, who were in the Ship with General Stanwix, paſſed through there laſt Week, in their Way to London, and gave the following Account: That a few Hours after they left the Iriſh Shore, a Storm aroſe, and the Ship proving leaky, they got ſome of the Sailors to hoiſt out the Boat, and went into it, when they uſed every Argument with the General and his Family, to induce them to leave the Ship, but without Effect; and that after being at Sea* 36 *Hours, they got into a Port on the Coaſt of Scotland, near Gallway. The General had his Lady, his only Daughter, a young Lady of Fortune, a Relation, and four Servants with him, who are all, according to theſe Officers Account, certainly loſt, as the Ship could not, in their Opinion, keep above Water many Hours after they left her.*"

Paul Whitehead, Eſq; late Deputy Maſter of the Wardrobe, is appointed Secretary to Lord le Deſpencer, as joint Poſtmaſter General.

We hear that the Right Hon. the Earl of Briſtol, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, will this Week ſet out for that Kingdom, in Conſequence of ſome recent Advices from thence.

We are credibly informed, that what has been reported of his Majeſty's intending to viſit his Dominions in Germany the enſuing Summer, is void of Foundation.

Advices received by this Day's Mail ſay, that ſome freſh Bodies of Ruſſian Forces have actually entered Great Poland.

Among the new Peers to be made after Chriſtmas, are Sir James Grey, Ambaſſador to Madrid, Sir Richard Copelſtone Bamfield, Sir Kemys Tynte, and Paul Methuen, Eſq.

Dec. 27. *Complaints are ſaid to have been lately ſent home from ſome Engliſh merchants of Mobille in Weſt-Florida, againſt the conduct of the Spaniſh Governor of New Orleans, for ſearching Britiſh traders in the Gulf of Mexico.*

Extract of a letter from Geneva, Dec. 17.

' *Laſt Monday the plan of the conciliating treaty, which France would have forced upon us, was rejected by a majority of* 1095 *votes againſt* 515. *Yeſterday the French ambaſſador ſent for the* 24 *commiſſaries impowered by the citizens to treat with the mediators, and told them, That he had orders from his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty, in caſe this treaty ſhould be rejected, to break all connections with the Republic, and he delivered them accordingly the French King's declaration to that purpoſe. God only knows what will be the conſequences of this event; however, we are in high ſpirits; and in hopes that the union that has ſubſiſted amongſt us the repreſenting citizens, will enable us to preſerve our dear liberties, notwithſtanding all the attempts made againſt them by our perfidious magiſtrates, and their avowed Protectors, the French miniſtry.*'

Cork, Dec. 29. *We have undoubted Intelligence of the White-Boys being up in ſome Parts of the Counties of Kilkenny and Wexford; particularly of their aſſembling in great Numbers at a Place called Thomas-Town, near Roſs, but do not hear of their committing any Acts of Violence, other than the riding Peoples Horſes to their Nightly Meetings.*

Dublin, Jan. 5. *We hear, that beſides the two Dukes that are to be created, there will be three Marquiſates revived, and another created. Many other Peers will be alſo created in this Kingdom, before the Meeting of next Seſſion of Parliament.*

ROSEAU, in Dominica, January 31.

ON Friday the 23d inſt. arrived at Prince Rupert's Bay, his Majeſty's frigate Levant, Captain Keith, in 5 weeks from Portſmouth, on her way to Jamaica. We are informed, that ſhe has brought advice, that ------ Buchannan Eſq; is appointed Receiver-General of the Southern Charibbee Iſlands, with a ſalary of Twelve Hundred Pounds ſterling per annum: That a ſeparate government would ſoon be eſtabliſhed at Dominica; that the ſeat of government, and places of public adminiſtration, were to be held at Prince Rupert's Bay; that a detachment of artillery, with a great quantity of ordnance ſtores, were ready, and under orders to ſail for this iſland, in order to fortify the different harbours; and that ſeveral ſurveyors and artificers were ordered out to examine Prince Rupert's Bay, a dock yard being intended to be immediately made there, for repairing his Majeſty's ſhips; it being looked upon as a much properer place for the rendezvous of any ſquadron in time of war, than Engliſh harbour in Antigua.

From Grenada we are informed, that ſeveral ſhocks of an earthquake have lately been felt there, the ſmarteſt of which happened about 3 o'clock on Wedneſday morning the 7th inſtant; the ſame and following days the ſurff was remarkably high on the Bay, which has done conſiderable damage to ſeveral houſes there, and carried off ſome lumber, &c.

From Guadaloupe we hear, that the late hard gales of wind have laid many of the cane pieces level with the ground, and done other very conſiderable damage in that iſland, but we have not yet received the particulars.

Charles-Town, in South-Carolina, January 5.

The 28th paſt put into Beaufort, Port-Royal, to refit, the brig King George, of and for New-York, from the Bay of Honduras, John Bleak maſter, having ſprung a leak at ſea, and made 9 inches water in an hour.

The brig Oſwego, George Fowler maſter, from Falmouth, which arrived here laſt Monday, was bound for New-York, had been 93 days at ſea, and received much damage in her ſails and rigging, which obliged Captain Fowler to put in here to refit.

Jan. 12. Friday put in here, the ſnow Prince George, Capt. Aſkew, from Gallway, with Iriſh ſervants, bound for New-York, having met with very bad weather, and been blown off the coaſt.

And the ſloop Friendſhip, James Burroughs, maſter, from Rhode-Iſland, bound for North-Carolina, and blown off that coaſt.

Sunday alſo put in, the brig Rebecca, Edward Roſe, maſter, from St. Euſtatia, bound for Boſton, and twice blown off the coaſt of New-England.

And the ſchooner Lovely Laſs, Robert Graham, maſter, from Monto Chriſti, bound for Philadelphia.

Captain Arnold, of the brig St. Anthony, from London, arrived here yeſterday; 14 days ago he ſpoke with the ſhip Nelly, Captain Brooks, from Virginia for London, all well on board.

This day put in here, in diſtreſs, the ſloop Sarah and Suſannah, Joſiah Smith, maſter, from St. Croix, bound for Virginia; and the ſchooner Urania, from Boſton, bound for St. Auguſtine, the late maſter, Edward Groſs, having been waſhed over-board, on new-year's day, off Winyah bar.

Although 18 ſea veſſels have departed this port ſince our laſt, the arrivals in the ſame time, makes the number of veſſels now here, amount to 108 ſail, viz. 32 ſhips, 13 ſnows, 1 billander, 28 brigantines, 11 ſchooners, and 23 ſloops.

Jan. 19. Laſt Thurſday put into this port, in diſtreſs, the ſchooner Gull, Charles Boult, maſter, from Anguilla, bound for Boſton.

Jan. 26. The exportation of INDIAN CORN continues, although that grain now ſells at Twenty Shillings per buſhel, and by accounts from moſt parts of the country, there is a manifeſt appearance of an approaching ſcarcity.

Feb. 9. The exportation of Indian corn and peaſe from Georgia, is prohibited, by a late act of aſſembly of that province, until the 1ſt day of September next.

Seven traders from Virginia, were found murdered near Cowhee, in the Cherokee country, the 9th of laſt month, but none of their goods touched. The northern Indians continue their incurſions into that country, but thoſe murders are ſuppoſed to have been perpetrated by Cherokees, in the way of taking ſatisfaction for former injuries received from the Virginians.

Saturday afternoon arrived here his Majeſty's packet-boat the Duncannon, commanded by Capt. Charles Edwards, in 14 days from Penſacola; by which we have advice, that all the Spaniſh Galleons which had been drove aſhore in St. Bernard's Bay (as formerly mentioned) were entirely loſt, and the people belonging to them gone to Havanna, having ſaved nothing but money, and even loſt ſome of that:---That the Chactahs and Creeks continued irreconcileable, and it was thought the Chicaſahs would aſſiſt the former:-----That ſo violent a diſagreement had ariſen, and ſubſiſted between the French and Spaniards at New Orleans, that the Spaniſh governor, Don Juan d'Ulloa, had been obliged to retire, for ſafety, to the iſland of Balize, where he daily expected 300 more troops from Cuba, in order to procure him quiet poſſeſſion of the country; the French ſettled in New Orleans having the ſtrongeſt averſion to a Spaniſh government: That his excellency George Johnſtone, Eſq; Governor of Weſt Florida, embarked and ſailed for England the 13th paſt, from Penſacola, in the brig Betſey, Captain Fea, and the government had thereby devolved upon the hon. Montfort Browne, Eſq; lieutenant governor: That tho' they had few goods at Penſacola for the Spaniſh trade, yet there was, on the 25th paſt, in that port, a Spaniſh ſnow, a brigantine, a ſchooner, and a ſloop, with a conſiderable quantity of dollars on board of each; and was the trade properly encouraged, it would be very conſiderable there.

We are informed, that a ſhip from Glaſgow was loſt about a fortnight ago, near the bar of Cape-Fear, to which river ſhe was bound.

The 29th paſt put in here, the ſloop Ellen, Thomas Hardy, maſter, from Tortola, bound for Virginia.

Monday the 2d inſtant the price of rice roſe to 52s. 6d. per hundred weight; it is ſince advanced to 55s. and in great demand.

BOSTON, February 16.

On Tueſday laſt the Houſe of Repreſentatives, by a large majority, paſſed a reſolve, that the Lieutenant Governor, not being elected a Counſellor, has, by the Charter, no Right to a Seat at the Council Board, with or without a voice, while the Commander in chief is in the province.

NEWPORT, February 16.

Laſt Thurſday night a Negroe woman in this town was delivered of a female child, which ſhe afterwards murdered; and endeavoured to conceal the infant's body, by throwing it behind a back-log, and then took it away, and put it into a barrel of aſhes. She has made a full confeſſion of her crime, and will be committed to priſon, as ſoon as her circumſtances will admit of removal.

NEW-YORK, February 26.

Monday laſt Captain Campbell arrived here in 30 days from Monto-Chriſto;---ſoon after he came out he ſprung his maſt, and put into Heneaga, to fiſh and repair it; He ſays he left at the Mount upwards of 40 ſail of Engliſh veſſels, among whom are Capt. Cooper and Capt. Thompſon, both of this port:---He alſo informs us, that they heard at the Mount, that ſeveral veſſels bound for this continent, had been beat off theſe coaſts, and put into Euſtatia.

March 2. Thurſday Captain Rogers arrived here from Madeira, in 7 Weeks: He ſpoke with the following Veſſels, viz. The 6th Inſtant, in Lat. 27, Long. 65, with a Ship from Virginia for St. Kitts; the 17th, in Lat. 36: 42, Long. 68, with a Ship from Rhode-Iſland, for Africa, 4 Days out; and on the 19th, with a Sloop from Boſton for Virginia.

A Snow from Holland, with 5000 Buſhels of Wheat, arrived at Madeira, whilſt Captain Rogers lay there, which lowered the Markets much.

Captain Wilſon, in 6 Weeks from Madeira, ſays, that Captain Robinſon, in a Ship, and a new Brig from Philadelphia, arrived there two Days before he ſailed. He ſpoke with the following Veſſels on the Paſſage, viz. January 24th, in Lat. 28, Lon. 23, with Captain M'Connell, in a Ship from London bound to Dominica, three Weeks out; February 9th, with a Brig, John Allen, Maſter, in Lat. 24, Lon. 64, from Whitehaven for Guadaloupe; and the 22d following, a Snow from Virginia, bound for Barbados.

Captain Steel, in 20 Days from Antigua, acquaints us of the arrival at that Iſland of a Sloop from New-Haven, that was driven out to Sea by the Ice, without her Captain.

PHILADELPHIA, March 5.

Captain Johnſon, from the Grenades, adviſes, that the Negroes there had lately been very troubleſome, and killed four or five of the White People; that they aſſembled together in the Mountains, about the Middle of the Iſland; that Governor Melville had ſent out Parties after them, who had brought in ſome of the Stragglers, the Heads of the moſt notorious of whom had been cut off, and placed in different Parts, and others puniſhed by Whipping, &c. and that more were daily expected to be brought in, as different Parties were in Purſuit of them.

Captain Miller from St. Euſtatia adviſes, that a ſmall coaſting Schooner, of and from New-London for Boſton, loaded with Pork, Rye, &c. having been blown off the Coaſt, was arrived at that Iſland; where the Captain diſpoſed of his Cargoe, took in a Load of Melaſſes, and had ſailed again for New-London.

Captain Jenkins, from St. Euſtatia, about 100 Leagues from Cape Henry, ſpoke a Ship from Virginia for Whitehaven, three Days out, all well.

By Captain Harris, from Barbados we learn, that a Brig, belonging to England, from Barbados for this Port, after beating ſome time on our Coaſt, was obliged to bear away for the Weſt-Indies, and arrived at that Iſland: Alſo that a Snow, belonging to Scotland, bound here for a Load of Wheat, being blown off our Coaſt, had put in there in Diſtreſs, and was afterwards ſeized by the Searcher. On the 15th ult. in Lat. 26: 28, Long. 66: 14, he ſpoke a Schooner from St. Euſtatia for Boſton, all well.

Captain Gregory, from St. Chriſtophers, on the 15th of laſt Month, in Lat. 34: 56, Long. 72, ſaw a Wreck, which he took to be a large Veſſel, as the Stump of a Maſt, and Part of the Deck, were a little out of the Water; but the Wind blowing very hard, he could not learn further Particulars.

Captain Moore, from St. Chriſtophers, on the 7th ult. in Lat. 22: 36, ſpoke a Schooner, Captain Cooper, belonging to Boſton, bound to North-Carolina from St. Euſtatia, out 7 Days. On the 9th, in Lat. 24: 49, ſpoke a Brig, Captain Edey, from Barbados for Virginia. On the 18th, in Lat. 36: 22, ſpoke a double Deck Sloop from Antigua for Virginia, out 19 Days. And the next Day he ſpoke a Schooner, Captain Morton, from Boſton for North-Carolina, all well in each Veſſel.

Captain Blewer, from St. Euſtatia, on the 12th of February, ſpoke a Brig, Captain Arnold, from Surrinam for Rhode-Iſland, out 22 Days. And on the 21ſt, he ſpoke a Brig, Captain Thompſon, from Antigua for Maryland, out 14 Days, all well.

Captain Hardcaſtle, from Jamaica, about twelve Days ago, in Lat. 38: 40, *Long.* 73, *ſpoke a Sloop, Captain Henſhaw, from Madeira for New-York, out ſix Weeks, all well.*

By Captain Simpſon, from South-Carolina, we are informed, that about Twelve o'Clock at Night of the 13*th ult. a Fire broke out at Charleſtown; it began in an Apothecary's Shop, which was entirely conſumed; but there being no Wind, it was happily extinguiſhed without ſpreading farther, otherwiſe the Town would have been in great Danger.----On the* 15*th Captain Simpſon ſpoke a Brig from Boſton for South-Carolina, about* 35 *Leagues to the Eaſtward of the Bar; ſhe had been out* 11 *Days, all well.*

Captain Budden, from Antigua, on Friday laſt ſpoke a Brig, Captain Thomſon, from Virginia for the Weſt-Indies, two Days out; and on Saturday he ſpoke another Brig, Captain ----------, from Turks-Iſland for New-London, out 11 *Days, all well.*

Captain Callender, in his Paſſage to St. Chriſtophers, fell in with the Brig Adair, Captain Downing, from Dublin for this Place, 14 Weeks out, in great Diſtreſs for want of Proviſions and Water, with which he ſupplied him.

The Ship Africa, Captain Hunter, from Barbados for South-Carolina, ſprung a Leak ſoon after ſhe left her Port; upon which the People took to the Boat, and arrived ſafe at Martinico.

The Brig Harrietta, Captain Richie, of this Place, on his Paſſage from Jamaica to South-Carolina, on the 26th of January, was drove by the Current upon a Reef at the South Weſt End of Heneaga, where the Veſſel immediately filled, and was entirely loſt, the People ſaved.

The Sloop Bourke, Captain Arthur Burrows, from St. Euſtatia, of and for this Port, put into South-Carolina in Diſtreſs.

The Schooner Eliphel, Captain Lowther, from this Place for Jamaica, is loſt on Maguana.

Captain Aſhmore, in a Sloop of this Port, bound from Maryland for South-Carolina, was loſt on Cape Look-out Shoals; the People, and Part of the Cargoe, ſaved.

The Schooner Adventure, Captain Nicholſon, from this Port for Halifax, after beating ſome time on that Coaſt, was obliged to bear away for the Weſt-Indies, and arrived at Barbados, with four Feet Water in her Hold.

Tueſday laſt the Schooner Sally, Captain Barber, came up to Town to refit; ſhe was bound to Barbados, from Chincoteague, in Virginia, with live Stock, &c. and the Night after ſhe ſailed got on the Shoals, where ſhe received ſome Damage.

ARRIVALS.

At Barbados. Captains Coffin, Jones, Hobbs, Hodgdon, Shores, Dalling, Littlefield, Mills, Fromald and Greenough, from Piſcataqua.---Wadley, from Newberry.---Bartram, Boyd, Collins and Whittelſey, from New-London.---Rice, from New-Haven.---Morgan from Salem.---And Captain Long (belonging to Philadelphia) from Madeira.

At Antigua. Captain Le Croix, from New-York; and Captain Provoſt, from Perth-Amboy.

At St. Chriſtophers. Captain Clarke, from Boſton; and Captain Ray, from Maryland.

At Dominica. Captain Welch, from Philadelphia.

At the Grenades. Captains Allen, and Cooper, from Philadelphia.

At St. Euſtatia. Captain Young, from Philadelphia.

At Jamaica. Captain Williams, from Salem.---Stuckney, from Piſcataqua.---Doten, from New England.---Wright, from Rhode Iſland.---Kip, from New York.---Gibſon, from Virginia.---And the Captains Brown, Robeſon, York and Weſt, from Philadelphia.

At South-Carolina. Captains Cordis, Freeman, Whitty,

Clauſton, Shand, Bell and White, from Boſton.---Archer, from Salem.---Burroughs, Brown, Godfrey, and Larclar, from Rhode Iſland.---And Captains Marques, Grimſhaw, Dains, Schermerhorn, and Boyd, from New-York.

On the 22d ult. one William Breeden was found dead in Upper Dublin, in this County. It is thought he was in Liquor, and not being able to find his Way home, lay out all Night, and periſhed with the Cold.

And on Tueſday laſt James M'Cullam was found dead, in the Houſe of Bryan Connolly, in Southwark, ſuppoſed to have been in Liquor, and to have died of a Fit.

[For more European News, ſee the SUPPLEMENT.]

PRICE CURRENT *of the following Goods in* Philadelphia.

Flour 16 s. 6 d. Wheat 6s. 6d. to 6s. 8d. Indian Corn 3s. Ship Bread 16 s. 6 d. Middling Ditto 28s. Pipe Staves 9l. Barrel Ditto 4l. Hogſhead Ditto 7l. 7s. 6d. Beef 55s. Pork 65s. to 75s. Weſt-India Rum 2s. 9d. New-England Ditto 2s. 1d. Pennſylvania Ditto 2s. 2d. Madeira Wine 40 to 70l. Muſcovado Sugar 40 to 60s. Melaſſes 23d. Pennſylvania Loaf Sugar 13d. Pitch 16s. Tar 12s. Turpentine 22s. Tobacco 15s. to 30s. Rice 18s. Liſbon Salt 2s. 2d. Bohea Tea 5s. 3d. to 5 s. 9d. Hemp 5d. Halfpenny to 6d. Halfpenny. Bar Iron 24l. Pig Iron 9 l. 10s.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Schooner Polly, R. Moore, and Brig Polly, D. Gregory, St. Kitts. Snow Rebecca, J. Miller, Brig Carpenter, C. Jenkins, Sloop Sally, J. Blewer, and Brig Charming Peggy, W. Marſhall, St. Euſtatia. Sloop America, J. Gorham, and Schooner Priſcilla, J. Shaw, Boſton. Ship Trial, T. Moore, Martinico. Ship Induſtry, J. Harris, Barbados. Ship Molly, W. Simpſon, Antigua. Ship Rachel, W. Hardcaſtle, from Jamaica.

OUTWARDS. Brig Hermione, T. Dobſon, and Brig Spry, D. M'Crahan, Barcelona. Brig Lark, B. Peel, Madeira. Ship Induſtry, J. Harris, Barbados. Brig Carpenter, C. Jenkins, St. Euſtatia. Brig Charming Peggy, W. Marſhall, Antigua. Sloop America, J. Gorham, for Boſton.

CLEARED. Sloop Endeavour, G. Ellis, and Sloop Sally, J. Warner, New-York. Brig Lucia Packet, L. Simmons, Liſbon. Ship Neptune, J. Thornton, Civita Vecchia. Ship Mercury, J. Aſhmead, Jamaica. Ship Cloſton, J. Carr, Barbados. Brig Induſtry, T. Cragg, Dublin. Brig Polly, J. Lockton, St. Kitts. Brig Chance, J. Craig, St. Euſtatia. Brig Willing Maid, W. Allibone, Grenades. Ship New Bleſſing, J. Cooper, Alicant. Schooner Raven, T. Coffin, Boſton.

Philadelphia, March 5, 1767.

To be LETT,

And entered upon the Firſt of April next,

THE TAVERN where Mr. Peter Robeſon now lives, pleaſantly ſituated at the FALLS of SCHUYLKILL, five Miles from Philadelphia, a Place of great Reſort, and well accuſtomed for Buſineſs, eſpecially in the Summer Seaſon. Any Perſon willing to rent the ſame, and who can engage to keep a neat and orderly Houſe, with good Entertainment, may apply to the Subſcriber,

W. SMITH.

N. B. Twelve Acres of Land, or more, if wanted, will be lett with the Premiſes. §

CHOICE *freſh* COUNTRY OATMEAL, BARLEY *and* GRITS, *made of the very beſt of Grain (at a Mill erected for that Purpoſe at Bethlehem) and ſold by the Subſcriber, who can furniſh a conſiderable Demand, on a ſhort Notice.*

¶ *NICHOLAS GARRISON.*

The Partnerſhip of MURRAY and BLAIR,

HAVING expired the firſt day of January laſt, they once more take this method to deſire all thoſe who have any demands againſt them, to bring in their accompts, that they may be ſettled, and earneſtly to requeſt all who are indebted to them, to pay off their reſpective debts, otherwiſe their accompts will be put into the hands of an attorney, as one of the late partners intends for Europe in the ſpring. They have a few freſh goods, which were imported in November laſt, by Captain Marſhall, from London, that they would diſpoſe of under prime coſt for caſh, in order to finiſh their ſales.

N. B. For the greater conveniency of thoſe who may have any accompts to ſettle with them, they propoſe keeping the ſtore they now have, until April next, when it is to be entered into by another perſon. †

To be LETT, for a Term of Years,

THE houſe where Thomas Montgomery, Merchant, late of this city, uſed formerly to live, together with outhouſes, and 160 acres of land, now in the tenure of John Thomſon, Eſq; lying upon the great road from New-Caſtle to Newark, about half a mile from Chriſtiana Bridge. For further particulars enquire of

¶ JOHN WILDAY, *in Philadelphia.*

WILLIAM SCULL, CHAISE-MAKER,

In Second-ſtreet, on Society-Hill, oppoſite Charles Coxe's, begs Leave to inform the Public,

THAT he has two neat new Phaetons for Sale, one finiſhed as follows, the Body painted green, the Moulding gilded and carved, and flowered round the Edges of the Pannels, with a fall-back Head, and other Conveniencies; the Carriage and Wheels green, with Iron Axletrees; the hind Standers carved and twiſted, with a neat Boot locked, and Braſs Caps, on the End of the Hobs, and a neat Sett of Harneſs, with the beſt Kind of Braſs Pads, and the Winkers of the Bridles bound with Braſs; the whole well finiſhed, with warranted Steel Springs. The other painted a Pompadour, gilded and carved, with a fall-back Head, the Carriage and Wheels painted a Vermilion red, with Iron Axletrees, and a neat Boot, with a Lock, a good Sett of Harneſs, and beſt Sort of Braſs Pads, well finiſhed, with warranted Steel Springs. Any Gentlemen that want to purchaſe the above Phaetons, may have them on very reaſonable Terms, by applying to the Subſcriber, who makes all Sorts of Chaiſes, Curricles, Chairs, Kittereens, &c. WILLIAM SCULL. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, ſituate in the Great Valley, Cheſter county, adjoining lands of the White Horſe Tavern, 26 miles from Philadelphia, on Lancaſter road, containing upwards of 200 acres, of which 10 acres are exceeding good meadow, producing clover graſs, a quantity more may be made, with the conveniency of watering the whole at a very ſmall expence, about 80 acres cleared, and under very good fence, the remainder is woodland, remarkably well timbered; there is on ſaid place a good dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables, and other ſmall buildings, a good bearing orchard, ſeveral good ſprings of water; alſo a commodious tanyard, good mill houſe, and currying ſhop, in good repair, and now occupied in that buſineſs, where it has been carried on for upwards of 30 years paſt.

Alſo one equal undivided half part (the whole in two equal parts to be divided) of 250 acres of good land, ſituate in the Great Valley, adjoining the above deſcribed premiſes, of which 25 are exceeding good watered meadow, upwards of 100 acres cleared, in good repair, two good bearing orchards, the remainder well timbered; there is on ſaid place a ſtone dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables, &c. To be ſold either together or ſeparate, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer or purchaſers. For terms of Sale apply to the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, who will give a ſufficient title for the ſame.

JAMES HUNTER. † 6 W.

The MANAGERS of the *Pennſylvania* HOSPITAL

HEREBY give Notice, That there is now Occaſion for a MATRON, to undertake the Care and Management of that Inſtitution. Any Perſon who is WILLING and CAPABLE to perform thoſe Services, is requeſted to ſend her Name, and Place of Abode, to ſome one of the Managers. Tbc.

TO BE LETT, on GROUNDRENT,

A FEW LOTS of GROUND, ſituate near the corner of Walnut and Fifth-ſtreets. For further particulars, enquire of SAMUEL GARRIGUES, *in Cheſtnut-ſtreet.* *

To be LETT by the SUBSCRIBER,

In the borough of Briſtol, and entered on immediately,

A GOOD commodious DWELLING HOUSE, with a good garden and orchard adjoining, likewiſe a young bearing orchard, a convenient tan-yard, near the ſaid dwelling-houſe, where the tanning buſineſs has been carried on for ſeveral years; a good ſadler's ſhop; alſo ſeveral graſs lots. The ſaid premiſes may ſuit a tanner, ſaddler, or ſhoemaker, being at this time very much wanted. ¶ SARAH MARIOTT.

N. B. The above premiſes may be had ſeparately.

ALL perſons indebted to SAMUEL PURVIANCE, jun. whoſe accounts are above twelve months unpaid, as well as thoſe indebted to him by bond, bill or note, are requeſted to diſcharge the ſame before the firſt of May next, otherwiſe they may expect to be ſued, without reſpect of perſons.

As ſaid Purviance declines the dry good buſineſs, he has now on hand a ſmall aſſortment of goods, which he will ſell very cheap, for caſh or ſhort credit. * 2 *mo.*

To be SOLD, at the London Coffee-houſe, on Thurſday, the 12th of March inſt. at 6 o'Clock in the Evening,

A Good Brick Houſe, 20 Feet front, about 32 Feet back; the Houſe has two Rooms on a Floor, and a Cellar under the ſame, with a large Stone Kitchen, 16 Feet and a Half by 19 Feet and a Half, with four good Cloſets and an Oven, a good Room over the ſame, with four good Cloſets, a Well of excellent Water near the Kitchen Door, a Brick Little-houſe, a Chair-houſe, and two Stables that will hold 6 Horſes, with a Hay-loft over the whole, a Wood-houſe, a Garden fenced in, about one Acre and a Half of good Upland Meadow, ſowed with Clover and Timothy, about 60 Apple Trees of as good Fruit as any in America, with ſundry fine Peach Trees; the whole under good Fence, and greateſt Part under Cedar Poſt and Rails; the front Yard boarded in with Cedar; the Houſe is ſituate at Frankford, on a Riſing, and commands a fine Proſpect next to the Widow M'Vaugh's, being very ſuitable for a Store or a Gentleman's Country Seat. Whoever inclines to purchaſe the above Premiſes before the Day of Sale, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subſcriber, living in the Diſtrict of Southwark. ZACHARIAH NIEMAN.

N. B. Alſo to be ſold, a ſtout healthy Negroe Boy.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Thurſday, the 12th day of March, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of George Donnatt, in Whitemarſh, five undivided one-ſeventh parts of, in and to a certain meſſuage, plantation, and tract of land, and of, in and to the buildings and improvements thereon erected, ſituate in the townſhip of Springfield, in the county of Philadelphia, containing in the whole 110 acres, the whole into 7 equal parts to be divided; late the eſtate of Andrew Redheiffer; ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, *ſheriff.*

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Saturday, the 14th day of March, at the London Coffee-Houſe, at five o'clock in the evening, a certain piece of marſh and meadow ground, pleaſantly ſituate on the weſtern bank of the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Blockley, in the county of Philadelphia, containing 11 acres and an half of meadow, including a peninſula of upland, which commands an extenſive and pleaſant proſpect of the river Schuylkill aforeſaid, bounded by land of Mr. Andrew Hamilton, and others, plans whereof may be ſeen at the London Coffee-Houſe, and at the ſheriff's office; late part of the eſtate of Richard Gardner; ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, *ſheriff.*

PATRICK CROSBIE, TAYLOR,

In Front-ſtreet, near the Drawbridge, a few doors below the ſign of Lord Loudoun,

IS lately arrived from London, where he has worked for ſeveral years paſt, and being determined to ſettle in this city, he engages to make all kinds of Clothes for gentlemens wear, after the neateſt and neweſt faſhions, likewiſe Riding-Dreſſes for ladies, in the greateſt perfection. Any ladies or gentlemen that will pleaſe to favour him with their commands, may depend on being well ſerved, by their humble ſervant, PATRICK CROSBIE. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

By public vendue, on Thurſday, the 19th day of March, the ſale to begin at ten o'clock in the morning, on the premiſes,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, in the townſhip of Haverford, Cheſter county, adjoining the lands of Meſſieurs Samuel and Charles Humphreys, about 9 miles from Philadelphia, containing 150 acres, which will be ſold in two parcels, viz. one containing about 100 acres, with a large ſtone houſe, two ſtories high, a cellar under it, a large new barn, ſtables, and good ſpring-houſe; about one half well timbered, and the reſt cleared, of which there are about 16 or 18 acres of good meadow, and more may be made, well watered, with a conſtant ſtream of water running thro' the whole; a good orchard, and a large garden paled in. The other containing about 50 acres, with a good new frame houſe, two ſtories high, thereon, well finiſhed, a large log kitchen adjoining, a cellar under the ſame, a large garden paled in, and ſome orchard; there may be, with eaſe, ſome good meadow made, part of which well timbered, and the reſt cleared, the whole being in good repair, and under good fence, both well ſituate for a public houſe, ſtore or tradeſman, being on a public croſs-road leading from Philadelphia to Lancaſter, and from Germantown to Derby, Cheſter and Brandywine. Any perſon or perſons inclining to purchaſe the above plantation, or any part thereof, may view the ſame before the day of ſale. The terms will be made known on the day of ſale, where attendance will be given by

PETER PECHIN.

To be SOLD or LETT,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Waterford townſhip, Glouceſter county, and province of New-Jerſey, adjoining the river Delaware, five miles from Philadelphia, containing 140 acres of land, about 8 acres of meadow, and 16 more may be made, a good bearing orchard, a ſtone dwelling-houſe and kitchen, a well of water at the door, a frame raiſed for a barn, and a log ſtable. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the above plantation, may have time given for payment of the money, with giving ſecurity, and paying intereſt; and whoever inclines to rent or purchaſe, may apply to JACOB BURROUGHS, HENRY WOODROW, *or* DAVIS BASSETT, *in Philadelphia, and know the terms.* ¶

TO be expoſed to SALE by publick vendue, at the Coffee-houſe, Philadelphia, on the 23d inſtant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a PLANTATION, containing 220 acres of land, pleaſantly ſituated on Octorara Creek, chiefly in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, about 15 acres of plow-land cleared, with a young orchard; about 20 acres of meadow made, chiefly watered, under timothy and clover graſs, and at leaſt 30 more may be made, and readily watered, the ſtreams never failing, and the ground good; the fences are in good repair. There is on ſaid place a good mill, the mill-houſe built with ſtone and lime, hath 2 pair of ſtones, boulting cloths, &c. all in good order and credit for merchant and country work, well accuſtomed for both, and ſo ſituate, as not to be hindered by froſt or back water, nor for want of water, and lies well for trade, being but 25 miles from Chriſtine landing, in a wheat country, as well as on the road for wheat that comes over Saſquehanna, at ſeveral ferries, as Peach Bottom, Fulton's, &c. 9 or 10 miles diſtant; with a dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtabling, houſe for the miller, good ſmith's ſhop, and ſickle-mill, a fine conveniency for a fulling-mill. A third part of the purchaſe money to be paid at the time of ſale, one third part in 6 months after, and the remainder a year from the time of ſale.

§ JOSEPH HEWES.

WHEREAS John Worlow, of Glouceſter County, has obtained of William Wattſon, Flatman, a bond of Fifteen Pounds, and a note of Three Pounds One Shilling, for a flat: This is to forewarn all perſons not to take an aſſignment on either bond or note, as I will pay neither of them. WILLIAM WATTSON. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A *GOOD PLANTATION, containing 52 acres, ſituate in Marple, Cheſter county, about 10 miles from Philadelphia, 10 acres of which good watered meadow, watered by a large ſtream; the woodland well timbered, and the cleared land well watered; there is a mineral ſpring on the land, with a houſe and barn, and the purchaſer may enter immediately. Likewiſe one other piece of good land, containing 100 acres, ſituate in Newtown, being one half woodland, well timbered, and the clear land well watered, ſome meadow made and watered, and more may be made, and watered with a large ſtream. The above pieces of land join each other. Any one inclined to purchaſe, may be informed as to the terms and title, by the ſubſcriber, living near the premiſes.* RICHARD FAWKES. ¶

FOUR DOLLARS Reward.

WAS ſtolen out of the yard of the ſubſcriber, in Church Alley, near Third-ſtreet, in the night of the 27th inſtant, a large COPPER KETTLE, having a braſs top and iron bail, and would contain about 16 gallons. Whoever will apprehend the perſon or perſons who committed the ſaid robbery, ſo that he, ſhe or they may be convicted thereof before any Magiſtrate, ſhall receive the above reward; or THREE DOLLARS for the kettle only, from

Feb. 28. HENRY BURNET, Conveyancer.

ALL perſons having any demands againſt THOMAS GILPIN, late of the borough of Wilmington, in the county of New-Caſtle, deceaſed, are deſired to bring them in to ANN GILPIN, at Wilmington, or the ſubſcriber, in Philadelphia, for payment. THOMAS GILPIN, Executor.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in St. George's hundred, New-Caſtle county, on the 21ſt of February, an apprentice lad, named John M'Clean, country born, about 18 years of age, middle ſized, full faced, black hair; had on, when he went away, a light coloured country cloth coat and breeches, with metal buttons, and has with him ſundry clothes in a bundle, amongſt which are two new home made ſhirts, one fine ditto, a new fine hat, &c. &c. ſuppoſed to be in company with a certain John Edger, a Threſher. If they are both taken together, and ſecured, ſo that they may be brought to juſtice, the perſon ſo apprehending them ſhall receive Three Pounds reward, or Forty Shillings, with reaſonable charges, for ſecuring M'Clean, paid by JAMES LATTOMUS. *

RUN away from Buſhtown, on the 20th of February, a ſervant man, named Thomas Bowman, a tall ſlim fellow, wears his hair, has a kind of blink or caſt in one eye, ſharp-fac'd, one of his legs battle-hamm'd much more than the other, is an Engliſhman born, and pretends to be ſomething of a gardiner: Had on, when he went away, a new frize jacket, a felt hat, ozenbrigs ſhirt, and what other clothes is uncertain. It is ſuppoſed he travelled towards Philadelphia or New-York. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid fellow, ſo that he may be returned to his maſter, ſhall receive Five Pounds reward, paid by JOHN LEE WEBSTER. *

By AUTHORITY,

By the AMERICAN COMPANY,

At the new THEATRE, in Southwark, this preſent Thurſday, being the 5th of March, will be preſented, a COMEDY, called,

The MISER.

The Miſer, by Mr. ALLYN.
Frederick, by Mr. DOUGLASS.
Cleremont, by Mr. WALL.
James, by Mr. TOMLINSON.
Decoy, by Mr. MORRIS.
Sattin, by Mr. GRAVILLE.
Sparkle, by Mr. WOOLLS.
Furniſh, by Mr. PLATT.
Charles Bubbleboy, by Mr. GODWIN.
Ramillie, by Mr. HALLAM.
Harriet, by Miſs HALLAM.
Mrs. Wiſely, by Mrs. DOUGLASS.
Lappet, by Mrs. HARMAN.
Wheedle, by Mrs. WALL.
Mariana, by Miſs CHEER.

With ENTERTAINMENTS, viz.

Singing by Mr. WOOLLS, and Miſs WAINWRIGHT.
Dancing by Mr. GODWIN, and Mr. MATTHEWS.

To which will be added (being the Second Night) a Pantomime Entertainment, in groteſque Characters, called,

HARLEQIN COLLECTOR,

Or the Miller Deceived.

Harlequin, by Mr. HALLAM.
Clown, by Mr. MORRIS.
Miller, by Mr. ALLYN.
Magician, by Mr. WOOLLS.
Doctor, by Mr. DOUGLASS,
Porter, by Mr. TOMLINSON.
Baboon, by Mr. WALL.
Skeleton, by Mr. MATTHEWS.
Miller's Men, by Mr. BROADBELT and M. APPLEBY.
Hay-Makers, by Mr. WOOLLS, Mr. WALL, Mr. GODWIN, Mr. BROADBELT, Mr. MATTHEWS, Mrs. HARMAN, Miſs HALLAM, Miſs WAINWRIGHT, Mrs. WALL, Mrs. MORRIS, &c.
Colombine, by Miſs CHEER.

To conclude with a Country Dance by the CHARACTERS.

To begin exactly at Six o'Clock.----*Vivant Rex & Regina.*

No Perſons can, on any Pretence whatſoever, be admitted behind the Scenes.----Tickets are ſold at the London Coffee-Houſe, at Mr. Francis's, at the Queen's Head, in Water-ſtreet, at Mr. George Hawkins's, in Walnut-ſtreet, and at Mrs. Scott's, in Lombard-ſtreet, where Places for the Boxes may be taken.----Ladies and Gentlemen will pleaſe to ſend their Servants at Four o'Clock, to keep their Places in the Boxes.----BOXES 7s. 6d. PIT 5s. GALLERY 3s.

Philadelphia, December 13, 1766.

STRAYED or STOLEN, yeſterday, out of a paſture adjoining Schuylkill, near the Middle Ferry, two HORSES: One is a bay roan, with a large bald face, a ſwelling on his head reſembling the poll evil, is about 14 hands 3 inches high, paces and trots, and is ſhod all round. The other is a bay, with a ſmall ſtar on his forehead, a hog mane, and bob tail, about 14 hands and an half high, and ſhod all round. Both their ages unknown. Whoever takes up ſaid horſes, and brings them to JACOB HILTZHEIMER's ſtables in Seventh-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, ſhall have, if ſtolen, and if the thief ſecured, TWELVE DOLLARS reward, or FOUR DOLLARS for each of the horſes, and reaſonable charges, paid by

§ JACOB HILTZHEIMER.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, in Briſtol townſhip, Philadelphia county, about the beginning of February laſt, a black cow, with a white face, and a crop in the near ear. The owner proving his property, and paying the charges, may have her again. ¶ JOSEPH SPENCER.

To be SOLD by

JONATHAN EVANS,

In Second-ſtreet, between Walnut and Spruce-ſtreets,

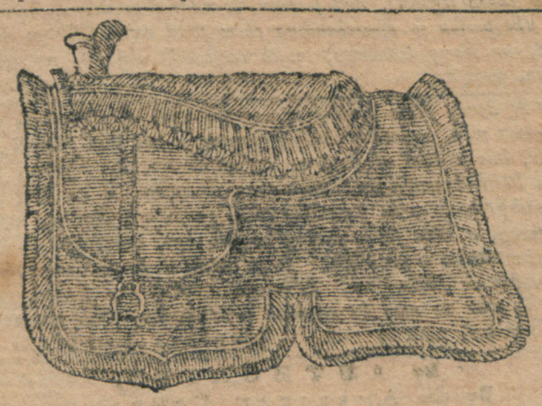
CHOICE old Madeira Wine in Pipes, Half Pipes, and Quarter Caſks, fit for immediate Uſe, old Jamaica Spirit in Hogſheads and Barrels, Barbados Rum by the Hogſhead. He likewiſe ſells by Retail, Jamaica Spirit, Rum, Brandy, Madeira, Teneriffe, Liſbon, Malmſey, and other Wines.

THE Subſcriber hereof forewarns all Perſons whatſoever, from taking an Aſſignment of a Bond, bearing Date the firſt Day of Auguſt, in the Year of our Lord 1753, in the Penalty of Sixty Pounds Money of Weſt-Jerſey, conditioned to pay the Sum of Thirty Pounds; which Bond was given by him to JAMES JAGARD, of the County of Glouceſter, in New-Jerſey, he being determined not to pay the ſame, unleſs compelled by Law. WILLIAM LENARD. ¶

TO be SOLD by the Subſcriber, living on Timber Creek, Glouceſter Townſhip, Glouceſter County, 100 Acres of very good Land, or more, very well timbered, and extraordinary well watered, one Mile and a Half from a very good Landing, a Mile from a good Griſt and Saw-mill. The Land joins Jacob Matlock's, and is the Property of JOHN HUNSINGER, living near the Place. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, for further Particulars, may enquire of ſaid JOHN HUNSINGER, near Captain JOHN HIDER's, on Timber Creek. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A GOOD plantation, containing 142 acres of land, about 50 acres of woodland, the reſt cleared, ſituated in the townſhip of Upper Providence, Cheſter county, 14 miles from the city of Philadelphia, convenient to market; there is on it a ſtone dwelling-houſe, with 5 fire places in it, cellars, kitchen, a good barn, ſtable, cow-houſe, a ſpring of good water, and a ſtone houſe over it, a good orchard, all in good repair, pleaſantly ſituated on a publick road, leading from ſeveral parts of the country to Philadelphia; alſo to moſt places of worſhip; there is on it about 20 acres of good meadow, with plenty of water for the whole; the plow land good for grain and graſs. Alſo to be ſold, a plantation whereon the ſubſcriber lives, in Marple Townſhip, Cheſter county, 11 miles from the city of Philadelphia, containing 192 acres of land, 70 or 80 acres of wood land, the reſt cleared, very convenient to market, and to moſt places of worſhip; there is a ſtone dwelling-houſe, with 4 fire places, cellar, kitchen, a large frame barn, ſtables, cow-houſe, a ſpring of good water near the door, and houſe over it, an orchard; all in good repair, pleaſantly ſituated on the publick road leading to the city of Philadelphia; there is on it 30 acres of good meadow, and plenty of water, a ſeat for a griſt or hemp mill, or both, the plow-land good for grain and graſs. The terms of payment will be made eaſy, and both places may be entered on the 1ſt day of April next. For terms of ſale, enquire of the ſubſcriber, living in Marple. § LAWRENCE HOWARD.



JOHN YOUNG, ſenior, SADLER,

In Second-ſtreet, oppoſite the Baptiſt Meeting, and next Door to Mr. Alexander Huſton's, hereby informs the Public, that he makes in the neateſt and moſt faſhionable Manner, and ſells at the moſt reaſonable Rates, the following Articles, viz.

WOMENS Velvet, Pluſh, Cloth and Buckſkin hunting Side Saddles, fringed, laced, or bound with Leather, Demi Ditto, Cloth, Pluſh, or Buckſkin Common Ditto, Demi-peaks Ditto, Half-peaks Ditto, ſquare Cantles or Engliſh ſhaped Saddles, with Hogſkin, Buckſkin or Neats Leather Seats, quilted or plain, Scotch Burs, breaſted Ditto, King's and Common Hunting Ditto, with Pluſh, Buckſkin or Neats Leather Seats, quilted or plain Carrying Saddles, Portmanteaus, Sling and Flying-poſt Saddle Bags, Piſtol Bags of all Kinds and Faſhions, fringed, laced or bound Military Furniture; Holſters, Fire Buckets, Leather Caps, and all Sorts of Cart Gears.

Said YOUNG returns thoſe Gentlemen, Merchants, Shallopmen, and others, who have favoured him with their Cuſtom, his ſincere Thanks for their paſt Favours, and hopes for a Continuance of the ſame, and he aſſures them it ſhall be his Endeavour to merit their Approbation.

☞ Said YOUNG has a large and neat Aſſortment of Work ready made, and can furniſh any Trader with a Quantity, at the ſhorteſt Warning, with proper Abatement to thoſe who buy to ſell again. § 7s. 6d.

Cheſter Town, Maryland, February 2, 1767.

TO be SOLD at public Vendue, to the higheſt Bidder, on the 10th of April next, for either Pennſylvania Currency, or Bills of Exchange, 1500 Acres of well timbered Land, being in Kent County, in Maryland, and ſituated between the Rivers of Cheſter and Saſſafras, and within 16 Miles of Duck Creek Landing. The aforeſaid Land will be ſold as may be moſt agreeable to the Purchaſers, either in Lots of 200 or 300 Acres, or larger Quantities. The Sale will be held at a Houſe on the Premiſes, within about one Mile of Mr. Dennis Dulany's Dwelling-houſe; credit will be given for one Half the Purchaſe Money, on giving Security, if required, and Payment of Intereſt. Any Perſon inclinable to treat for any of the aforeſaid Land before the Day of Sale, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to Mr. DENNIS DULANY, Mr. JAMES M'LACHLAN, Dr. JOHN SCOTT, Mr ALEXANDER CALDER, or the Subſcriber, in Cheſter Town. The Title is indiſputable.

MARY CALDER, Executrix of Capt. James Calder deceaſed.

TO be SOLD, by way of public vendue, on Monday, the 6th day of April next, at the houſe of Joſeph Gorgas deceaſed, at the upper end of Germantown, a valuable lot of ground, containing about 16 acres, ſome part of it very good woodland; there is on ſaid lot a good new two ſtory ſtone houſe, and a good ſtone barn, with ſtabling; likewiſe a well of very good water before the door, good garden, a fine young orchard, of the beſt grafted fruit; it is very pleaſantly ſituated, and would ſuit for a gentleman's country ſeat, or any tradeſman. Alſo another lot of ground, lying in Creſham, containing about 5 acres; on ſaid lot is a ſtone dwelling-houſe, and ſtabling, a well of good water by the door, and ſome orchard. There will be ſold on ſaid day ſome very good houſhold goods, and kitchen furniture, two eight day clocks, a very good ſpinnet, and other articles, too tedious to mention. The vendue to begin at 10 o'clock, where due attendance will be given, and the conditions of ſale made known by us

JOHN GORGAS, JULIANA GORGAS, Execut.

N. B. All perſons that have any demands againſt the eſtate of the above deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accompts againſt the firſt day of May, that they may be known and ſettled; and all perſons indebted, are alſo earneſtly deſired to come and pay by the ſaid time. ‡

FINE FRESH LEMONS,

In whole and Half Boxes, imported in Captain GOLLEY, from London, to be Sold by

JOHN GIBSON,

At his Store in Market-ſtreet, near the Corner of Fourth-ſtreet.

CAME to the Plantation of the Subſcriber, living in Weſt Fallowfield Townſhip, Cheſter County, a ſmall yearling blackiſh Heifer, about the latter End of May or Beginning of June laſt, has neither Brand nor Ear-mark, ſome ſmall white on her Belly, a little on both hind Legs. The Owner coming and proving his Property, and paying Charges, may have her again.

§ JAMES GLENDINNING.

To be SOLD or LETT,

A PLANTATION, in Newtown, Cheſter County, containing about 100 Acres of Land, near the Great Road leading from Lancaſter to Darby, one Mile from the Square, with a good Stone Houſe, and three Rooms on a Floor, two Cellars and Kitchen, with a good Well of Water near the Door, a good Orchard. The Terms may be made known by applying to WILLIAM HUNTER, living near the Premiſes. ‡

TO be Sold, purſuant to the laſt Will and Teſtament of Samuel Hopper, deceaſed, at public Vendue, to the higheſt Bidder, on the 30th Day of March next, on the Premiſes, a Tract of Land, pleaſantly ſituated near the Mouth of Raccoon Creek, in Greenwich Townſhip, Glouceſter County, Weſt New-Jerſey, containing 133 Acres, with a new Frame Dwelling houſe, having two Rooms on a Floor, a Kitchen, and other Out-buildings, and a good Orchard; the Fields well fenced, and the Woodland chiefly well timbered, being about a Mile from a good Landing on Raccoon Creek. Alſo a Lot of good drained Meadow, free for ever from maintaining Bank or Sluice, lying about one Mile diſtant from ſaid Plantation, near Delaware. Likewiſe 25 Acres of Cedar Swamp, about a Mile and an Half from ſaid Plantation; the whole containing 163 Acres. The Sale to begin at Ten o'Clock. Where due Attendance will be given, and the Conditions made known, by

⊕ JAMES HINCHMAN, Executor.

TO be SOLD, by publick vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, the 14th of March next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a plantation, ſituate in Moyamenſing townſhip, about 2 miles from Philadelphia, adjoining Robert Smith's plantation, on the Five Mile Round road, the property of James Lownes, containing 22 acres, or thereabouts, 5 acres of which is meadow, with a 2 ſtory new frame houſe, two rooms on a floor, new barn, four good aſparagus beds, a nurſery of young peach trees, juſt fit to plant out, a good bearing orchard, a ſpring of good water; the land is a fertile ſoil, fit for gardening; the title indiſputable; half the purchaſe money to be paid down, the other half in one year after, giving ſecurity, and paying intereſt. The place is lett for one year at Thirty Pounds. Alſo a lot of drained meadow, to be ſold by private ſale, ſituate in Paſſyunk Townſhip, on Greenwich Iſland, containing 4 acres, or thereabouts. For further particulars, enquire of JOHN or JOSEPH LOWNES.

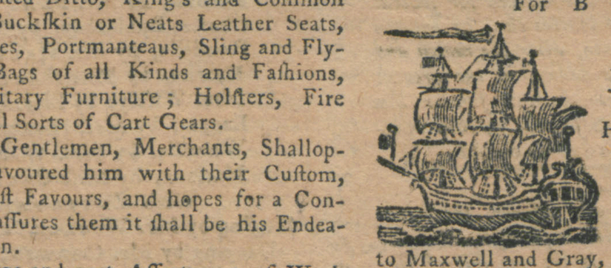
N. B. The ſaid James Lownes has to lett the one half of a commodious 3 ſtory houſe, pleaſantly ſituated at the upper end of Front-ſtreet, where he now lives. ¶

To be SOLD,

AT public vendue, on Friday, the 20th day of March next, a valuable plantation, containing 90 acres of extraordinary good land, ſituated in Plymouth townſhip, Philadelphia county; it joins the river Schuylkill, and Egypt road, within a mile of the Swedes Ford, and near the ſign of the black horſe tavern; there is joining ſaid place a very good fiſhing place for catching of Shad; there are 4 merchant mills within about three miles of ſaid place; there is a large ſtone houſe, two ſtories high, with 4 rooms on a floor, and a cellar under the whole; a barn and ſtables; and a well of good water by the kitchen door, with a young orchard. There are about 50 acres cleared, the reſt well timbered; there are about ſix or ſeven acres of meadow, moſt of it may be watered by a conſtant ſtream, which runs through the ſame; there is great part of the corn land limed, within theſe three or four years paſt; there is plenty of good lime ſtone on ſaid place, and a lime kiln, where there has been ſeveral kilns burnt. The title is indiſputable. The ſale to begin at 12 o'clock on ſaid day, on the premiſes, where attendance will be given by

‡ DAVID DAVIS.

For BARBADOS,



The SHIP HAWKE, JOHN FEATHERSTONE, Maſter;

Having Two Thirds of her Cargoe on board, will certainly ſail the 8th of March; ſhe is a prime Sailer, and has exceeding good Accommodations for Paſſengers. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to Maxwell and Gray, in South-ſtreet, or to the Commander on board ſaid Ship, now lying at Capt. Richards's Wharff.

Said Maxwell and Gray have for Sale, at their Store, next to Joſeph Sims, Eſq; or at the Houſe of ſaid Gray, Barbados Rum, Muſcovado Sugar in Hogſheads, Cocoa and Cotton.

To be SOLD by public vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, on the 12th of the Third Month March next, being the fifth day of the week, at 5 o'clock in the evening, three lots of ground, with three brick houſes thereon, in Philadelphia; late the eſtate of Doctor Lloyd Zachary, deceaſed.

1. A Lot, 21 feet front, on the eaſt ſide of Second-ſtreet, and 160 feet back, having a large ſhop on the Second-ſtreet front, and near the eaſt end of ſaid lot a brick houſe, where Doctor Zachary dwelt, with the advantage of a court yard 40 by 21 feet, in front of the ſaid brick houſe, and the privilege of a paſſage thence, through a 10 feet alley, into Walnut-ſtreet.

2. A lot, 21 feet on the weſt ſide of Front-ſtreet, with a brick houſe, 21 feet front by 42 feet deep, and brick buildings adjoining back of the ſaid houſe, about 40 feet long, now in the tenure of Daniel Rundle, merchant; the lot extends 200 feet weſtward to the court yard aforeſaid, with the advantage of the ſaid court, and privilege of the paſſage through the 10 feet alley abovementioned into Walnut-ſtreet.

3. A bank houſe and lot, 31 feet and a half on Front-ſtreet, and continues the ſame breadth into Water-ſtreet, ſituate nearly oppoſite Daniel Rundle's aforeſaid, which letts at 55 l. per ann.

Alſo a ground-rent of 10 l. per annum, iſſuing out of a water lot in tenure of Joſeph Wharton, oppoſite the bank houſe aforeſaid.

N. B. The purchaſers of the above houſes and lots to pay one third ready money, one third in ſix months, and the remainder in one year from the time of ſale, without intereſt, giving ſecurity if required. ¶

TO be SOLD by pubtic vendue, on the premiſes, on Monday, the 16th day of March, A plantation, containing 53 acres, 42 whereof are cleared, about 3 acres of meadow, and 2 acres of orchard; a good two ſtory ſtone houſe, ſtone kitchen, and ſtone barn, and a good ſpring of water cloſe to the houſe. It joins the land of Samuel Powell, and Benjamin Shoemaker, about 3 quarters of a mile from the upper end of Germantown, on the road to Abington. The conditions of payment will be made known on the day of ſale, by

¶ ELIZABETH CHANNEL.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber,

A LIKELY Negroe Wench, with a Female Child about 2 Years old, that has had the Small Pox, can do all Kinds of Houſe Work, being uſed to Town and Country, can be recommended for her Honeſty. Sold on Account of its not anſwering to have a breeding Wench in the Family.

‖ JOHN PURDON.

Upper Dublin, February 11, 1767.

TO BE SOLD,

AT public Vendue, on the 12th Day of March next, the Houſe and Lot whereon the Subſcriber liveth; there are on ſaid Lot, which conſiſts of about 9 Acres, a good Stone Houſe, with 3 Rooms on a Floor, alſo a Stone Kitchen, a good Frame Stable, a Frame Store Houſe and Shed, and is convenient for a Store-Keeper, having been occupied as ſuch; being pleaſantly ſituated on the great Road from Eaſton, Bethlehem, and Parts adjacent, to the City, and diſtant from Philadelphia about 15 Miles; the Sale to begin at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, where Attendance will be given, and the Terms made known by JOHN TRUMP, Senior.

ALSO to be Sold at private Sale, a valuable Plantation, ſituated in Upper Dublin aforeſaid, containing 150 Acres, about 100 Acres of which cleared, and the Reſidue very well timbered; about 10 or 12 Acres of extraordinary watered Meadow, and more may be made. There are on the Premiſes, a good Stone Dwelling-houſe, a large Stone Barn, and Stables, a Stone Spring-houſe over a good Spring, within a ſmall Diſtance of the Dwelling-houſe, a Well of good Water in the Yard, with a Pump; alſo a large Apple Orchard, which yearly produces great Quantities of Fruit; the ſaid Plantation is very convenient to ſundry Merchant Mills, and Meeting Houſes of divers Denominations. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the Terms, by applying to John Trump aforeſaid. ✱

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Monday, the 9th day of March next, on the premiſes, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain plantation, and tract of land, ſituate in New Providence townſhip, containing about 203 acres and a half, with a good tan-yard, a two ſtory ſtone dwelling-houſe, a large kitchen and barn thereon erected; late the eſtate of Joſeph Richardſon. Alſo at the ſame time and place will be ſold ſundry houſhold-furniture, and implements of huſbandry, ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, ſheriff.

Annapolis, December 18, 1766.

PURSUANT to the Directions of the laſt Will and Teſtament of Edmund Key, Eſq; deceaſed, the following Tracts of Land will be ſold to the higheſt Bidder, at public Vendue, on the third Wedneſday in March next, preciſely at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Arthur Charlton, in Frederick Town, in Frederick County, Maryland, viz. Paradiſe, containing 335 Acres. Good Hope, containing 300 Acres. And Friendſhip, containing 206 Acres. Theſe three Tracts almoſt join one another; one of them binds upon Potowmack, and all of them lye betwixt Great Conecocheague and Little Conecocheague Rivers. They will be ſold for Ready Caſh, or Six Months Credit will be given, on proper Security.

¶ U. SCOTT, Executor.

Philadelphia, February 4, 1767.

TO be SOLD by public Vendue, on Tueſday, the 10th of March next, or any Time before at private Sale, by JOSEPH PHIPPS, Senior, of Uwchland Townſhip, in Cheſter County, all his real Eſtate, conſiſting of about 900 Acres of Land, which is allowed by good Judges to be one of the beſt Tracts of Land in Cheſter County; it will ſuit to divide in four Farms, or more, viz.

1. A valuable Farm of about 500 Acres, 200 Acres cleared and in good Fence, the Remainder well timbered and watered; it is kind good Land for Grain and Graſs, a ſufficient Quantity of watered Meadow cleared, and in Clover, Timothy and other fine Graſs, to feed 100 Head of Cattle yearly. On ſaid Premiſes is pleaſantly ſituated a good Stone Houſe, Barn, and other Out-houſes, a good bearing Orchard, &c.

2. About 100 Acres of Land, whereon is a Log Dwelling-houſe, a good Merchant Mill, with two Pair of Stones, will grind 10 or 15 Buſhels in One Hour; the Mill-Houſe is large, and built of Stone, and has Plenty of Water; the Land is good for Grain and Graſs; about 35 Acres cleared, the reſt well timbered; 40 Acres of Meadow may be made on this Part.

3. About 200 Acres of Land, whereon is a Stone Dwelling-houſe, a Barn, a good bearing Orchard, about 60 Acres of cleared Land, the reſt well timbered and watered; 30 Acres of watered Meadow may be made on this Part; alſo a good Conveniency to build a Saw-Mill and Fulling-Mill.

4. About 100 Acres of Land, whereon is a Log Dwelling-houſe, a good Merchant Mill, with two Pair of Stones, will grind 10 or 15 Buſhels in One Hour; the Mill-Houſe is large, and built of Stone, and has Plenty of Water, about 40 Acres is cleared Land, 10 Acres whereof is Meadow, the Remainder well wooded and watered. The above-mentioned Tract of Land is 33 Miles from Philadelphia, on the Provincial Road leading to Lancaſter, where Plenty of choice good Wheat may be had more than they can grind.

N. B. The Purchaſer of any of the above Premiſes may have ſeveral Years to pay the Purchaſe Money, paying Intereſt, and giving Security, if required. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe any of the above recited Premiſes before the Day of Sale, may apply to the Subſcriber, living on the firſt-mentioned Farm, who will give an indiſputable Title for the ſame, or any Part thereof.

✽ 4 W. JOSEPH PHIPPS, Senior.

To be Sold by the Subſcriber, at the Crown, Canniſter and Handſaw, in Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets,

AN Aſſortment of GRASS SEEDS of the laſt Growth, viz. Red and White Clover Seed, Timothy Ditto, Rye-Grass, Burden and Green Graſs Ditto; alſo Hemp, Turnip and Annis-ſeeds. He has likewiſe for Sale, a large Aſſortment of Ironmongery, Joiners Braſs Furniture, Sadlery, Tin Ware, Oil Colours, Dye-ſtuffs, Powder, Shot, Lead, Spices, &c. &c.

¶ 2 M. JONATHAN ZANE.

N. B. He gives ready Money for Horſes Tails.

Germantown, 1767.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber,

AN Exceeding fine and pleaſant ſituated Lot for a Gentleman's Country Seat, in the upper Part of Germantown, ſituate on the main Street, in the beſt Part of Germantown to carry on any extenſive publick Buſineſs or Trade whatſoever. The ſaid Lot containing between 2 and 3 Acres of Land, having a large commodious 2 Story Stone Houſe, a large Stone Kitchen, and good Stabling thereon, and other Conveniences and Improvements, with a large and very pleaſant ſituated Garden, great Part thereof planted with the beſt Sorts of Pear, Plumb, Apricot and Nut Trees, and other curious and rareſt Sorts of Fruit, and flowering Trees, as well as moſt Sorts of Garden Curioſities, having alſo a fine thriving Orchard, of 20 Years planting, of the beſt Apples, and the reſt is very good Graſs Land. Its pleaſant Situation will, on View, ſufficiently recommend it for a Seat of Pleaſure, as well as for carrying on any Trade or Shop [which is now kept there] or for a Tavern, or other Buſineſs whatever.

ALSO to be Sold, ſundry near adjacent Lots of very good Graſs Land. The Terms of Sale may be known at ſaid Place of ⊖ 6 W. CHRISTIAN LEHMAN.

To be SOLD by

THOMAS, JAMES *and* SAMUEL PENROSE,

In Southwark,

A FEW Hogſheads of WEST-INDIA RUM, and a few Bags of FRENCH COTTON. §

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WARSAW, November 5.

THE Empreſs of Ruſſia, and the King of Pruſſia, have made ſtrenuous repreſentations to the Senate, in favour of the Proteſtants eſtabliſhed in Poland.

Copenhagen, Nov. 12. When the Queen made her entry into this capital, on Saturday laſt, her retinue was very numerous, and went ſo ſlow through the ſtreets, that her Majeſty did not arrive at the Palace Royal till between three and four. She was received by the King, at the door of the firſt antichamber. The croud of people, which aſſembled on this occaſion, was immenſe. The nuptial ceremony was performed in the palace chapel, about eight o'clock; after which their Majeſties and the Royal Family, together with the principal perſons of the Court, and foreign Miniſters, ſupped at a table of 120 covers. The King has, on account of his marriage, created twelve Knights of the order of Dannebrog.

Conſtantinople, Oct. 16. By the laſt accounts from Cyprus we hear, that the caſtle of Cerigna was taken by the Baſhaw on the 16th of Auguſt. In it were found Halile Aga, Chief of the Malecontents, and about ſixty of his adherents. He was impaled, and his head was ſent to the Porte, with thoſe of a number of his followers. The moſt noted of the Malecontents were afterwards executed as they were taken. Numbers of the poor infatuated peaſants, who entered into the rebellion by compulſion, were releaſed after a ſtrict examination. Three of the aſſaſſins of the Governor, in the year 1764, were taken, and impaled.

Warſaw, Nov. 8. The declarations of the Kings of England and Denmark, in favour of the Proteſtants in Poland, were not delivered to the King in a public audience, as were thoſe of the Empreſs of Ruſſia and the King of Pruſſia, but in a private audience. It is to be obſerved, that in ſupport of theſe declarations, ſome Ruſſian regiments have entered the territories of Poland, and that one detachment of their troops is encamped at Gnra, five miles from hence; and it is aſſured that ſome other detachments are gone to take up their quarters upon the eſtates of the Biſhop of Cracovia. The Proteſtants of Poland are now in a fair way to enjoy all the religious and civil liberty to which they are intitled.

The Miniſtry has delivered a note to the Ruſſian Ambaſſador, demanding for what purpoſe the Ruſſian troops continue in Poland.

Copenhagen, Nov. 22. The Court taſtes a ſort of repoſe ſince the entertainments given on occaſion of the King's marriage are at an end. His Majeſty, the three Queens, the Princeſſes Amelia and Louiſa, and Prince Frederick, continue in perfect health.

Naples, Nov. 11. The report ſtill prevails, that the Marquis de Squillace is going to return to Spain; his Catholick Majeſty being, it is ſaid, convinced of the falſity of the accuſations laid againſt that Nobleman by his enemies, whom his Majeſty is therefore determined to puniſh according to their deſerts, and to reinſtate the above Miniſter in his former dignities.

Hamburgh, Dec. 5. Various are the opinions of people with reſpect to the affairs of Poland. Some pretend to have it from good authority, that Ruſſia and Pruſſia will maintain their declarations in favour of the Proteſtants by force of arms; but others are of a contrary opinion, becauſe the Diet of Poland cannot, according to law, be aſſembled longer than ſix weeks, and the declarations above-mentioned were not delivered till after it had been ſitting near a month.

LONDON, November 25.

Yeſterday the Earls of Holderneſſe and Chatham had the honour of a Conference with his Majeſty, after breaking up of the levee at St. James's.

It is reported that ſome ſhips of war, together with a regiment of marines, will ſhortly be appointed to ſail for the Eaſt-Indies.

We hear the Earl of Abingdon, and ſeveral other Engliſh Noblemen now abroad, have ſent over orders for the poor on their eſtates to be ſupplied with corn at a low rate.

According to a calculation lately publiſhed, it appears, that if only three-fifths of the corn we ſell abroad, was ſent in flour, the nation would ſave above ſeven millions and a half ſterling; and as according to the old ſaying, there is twopence difference between a penny ſpent and a penny ſaved, it would make fifteen millions difference to this kingdom.

A letter from Amſterdam, dated Nov. 14, ſays, "The laſt advices from Ruſſia, give us too much reaſon to fear, that the French have ſucceeded at that court, in obtaining a contract for all ſorts of naval ſtores, and all the gunpowder and ſaltpetre that they can ſpare, which cauſes much ſpeculation here; not only as it may hurt us conſiderably in our navigation as carriers, but alſo in ſeveral other very beneficial branches of trade; for we are informed, that the Ruſſian veſſels are to tranſport the ſtores to France; and moſt of our gunpowder mills muſt ſtand ſtill, ſince we cannot expect to receive any conſiderable ſupply of ſaltpetre from either Poland, Pruſſia, or the Empreſs Queen's dominions; and our ſupply from the Indies is not only ſcanty, but on the firſt troubles there, may be intirely cut off; and the quantity we make in theſe proviſions, is by far too inconſiderable, to enable us to continue the ſupplying Africa, Surinam, Euſtatia, &c. &c. with gunpowder."

Nov. 27. Yeſterday, being the birth day of his Royal Highneſs William Duke of Glouceſter, who then entered the 24th year of his age, their Majeſties received the compliments of the nobility, &c. on the occaſion.

We are told that when application was lately made to a Nobleman to intercede with a great Perſonage for the pardon of a celebrated Exile, his Lordſhip is ſaid to have replied, that the nature of the offence was ſuch as rendered an application in his favour ſo extremely delicate, and even difficult, that he imagined there were no other hopes of obtaining it than that of its proceeding ſpontaneouſly from the great Perſonage himſelf.

On Sunday laſt the Dreadnought man of war, from Jamaica, with Admiral Sir William Burnaby on board, arrived at Spithead: As did alſo the Druid ſloop of war, from the ſame place.

The Honourable Houſe of Commons did not break up on Tueſday till 12 o'clock at night.

Yeſterday the accounts of the King's houſhold from 1763 to September 1765, were paſſed in the Court of Exchequer, and the ſeveral Cofferers made affidavit on them before the Barons.

This day at noon there was a grand court and drawing room at St. James's, when his Excellency the Morocco Ambaſſador was preſented to his Majeſty.

We hear that his Serene Highneſs the Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick, has, during his preſent travels, furniſhed himſelf with accurate plans of all the fields of battle, frontier towns, and fortifications in the neighbourhood of every place, through which he paſſed.

It is ſtrongly whiſpered, that another change will ſoon happen in one of the higheſt departments of the law.

It is ſaid that the revenue ariſing to the kingdom from impoſts on the Eaſt India trade, is eſtimated, upon an average, at a clear million ſterling a year; ſo that when the Company have been ſupported upon any occaſion at the public expence, they have amply paid for the favour of protection.

Letters from Leghorn ſay, that according to accounts received there, the Porte had given orders for levying a heavy fine in the province of Circaſſia, on account of the natives having joined in the late revolution with Prince Heraclius.

They write from Genoa, that the Senate had received advice of ſeveral hundred barrels of gunpowder, thirty field pieces of braſs, and a great number of firelocks, having lately been landed in the gulf of Ajaccio by a Dutch veſſel, for the ſervice of Paſchal Paoli.

Nov. 29. *Yeſterday ſe'nnight two Italian Princes arrived in town, who, it is ſaid, had the honour of entertaining his Royal Highneſs the Duke of York, when on his travels through Italy; and are now come on purpoſe to viſit him, and the Britiſh Court.*

December 2.

We hear that Lord Forteſcue has given orders to his Steward to get all his Lordſhip's corn threſhed out, and ſold to the poor at South Moreton, at 4 s. 6 d. per buſhel.

Letters from Copenhagen, dated the 18th ult. inform, that their Majeſties, the King and Queen of Denmark, are in perfect health; and that the Prince of Heſſe-Caſſel, on the 16th ult. gave a grand entertainment and a maſked ball there, at which their Majeſties, the great Officers of State, and others of the Nobility, were preſent.

A few days ſince there was a violent quarrel near the Cockpit, Whitehall, inſomuch that divers grave and learned perſons, grown grey in the honour of their country, could not be reſtrained from calling each other names.----The cauſe of the quarrel was a difference of opinion in certain points of law, relative to a late embargo.

December 4.

It is confidently ſaid, that no alteration will happen in the preſent patriotic Board of Treaſury.

It is alſo ſaid, that after the ſtricteſt ſcrutiny, the ſeveral reſignations that have been lately made are found to be without any reaſon or cauſe; and that the great patriot and ſtateſman's ſchemes have been approved of, and will be carried into execution.

It is ſaid that no ſuperior poſts in the army will for the future be diſpoſed of, or exchanged, without the conſent and approbation of his Majeſty.

In ſupport of the declaration lately made by the Empreſs Queen of Ruſſia to the Nobility of Courland, who had acknowledged the Duke, ſome Ruſſian troops have entered the lands and eſtates of thoſe Nobles, who have not yet conformed to the ſaid declaration, with the deſign to live there at diſcretion till ſuch time as they have taken the oaths of fidelity and ſubmiſſion, and given ſureties for their behaving in future like true and good ſons of the country.

A draught of 24 men is made from each of the 14th, 24th, and 35th regiments of foot, for Penſacola, and it is ſaid the like draught will be made from all the other regiments of foot now in Britain, in order to ſtrengthen that colony.

Some letters from Gibraltar mention, that the Dey of Algiers had revoked the orders for all Engliſh veſſels to depart the harbour within a time limited; but that the ſhips of no other nation had been ſuffered to remain.

The Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick is expected to arrive here about the beginning of March next.

Letters from the Weſt of England ſay, that the cloathing buſineſs was never known under ſo great a ſtagnation as at preſent, many thouſands of poor being idle, for want of employ.

Dec. 6. It is remarkable, that the Right Hon. the Earl of Hertford has poſſeſſed four of the principal places under the government, in the ſpace of little more than twelve months, viz. thoſe of Ambaſſador to France, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Maſter of the Horſe, and preſent Lord Chamberlain of the Houſhold.

December 9.

On Friday laſt the Rev. Dr. Moſs did homage to his Majeſty, on being appointed Biſhop of St. David's.

We hear that the port of London will ſoon be opened for the free importation of tallow and hides, from Ireland, for a time limited.

Yeſterday the Duke of Grafton, and the Earl of Chatham, had the honour of a conference with his Majeſty at St. James's, after the breaking up of the council.

A letter from Mittau, dated November 16, ſays, "A report prevails that the Duke propoſes to put the reins of government, after the holding of the firſt provincial Dyet, into the hands of the Hereditary Prince, in order to paſs the remainder of his days in retirement.

It is ſaid ſome diſpatches of importance have been received from the Britiſh Conſul at Algiers, relative to the object of the preſent naval expedition fitting out there, by order of the Dey.

Letters from Cadiz inform, that two men of war of the line had juſt ſailed from thence, with orders to meet the Spaniſh flota in a certain latitude, and to convoy them home.

Dec. 11. *A letter from St. Germains, dated Dec. 3, ſays, "Yeſterday I had the honour to attend Lady Rochford, at her preſentation to the Royal Family of France, where her Ladyſhip made a very ſplendid appearance, and was attended by a great number of Engliſh Nobility and Gentlemen; among whom were the Duke of Northumberland, Lords Carliſle, Carr, Mazarine, Mr. Selwyn, Mr. Bolby, &c. A ſtool was ſet, oppoſite to the Queen's chair, whereon the Ambaſſadreſs ſat during her audience; and the ſame mark of diſtinction was obſerved throughout all the other preſentations. After the ceremony, a moſt magnificent dinner was provided in the palace of Verſailles, by the Duke de Choiſeul, for the Ambaſſadreſs and her company, where all the Engliſh, and ſome French Ladies and Gentlemen of great diſtinction, dined. During Lady Rochford's audience of the Queen, the King came into the Queen's apartment, and made his compliments to the Ambaſſadreſs; and the ſame addreſs was made uſe of by his Highneſs the Dauphin, and the Duke de Provence, during her Ladyſhip's preſentation to the Dauphineſs."*

The Counteſs of Rochford, on her late preſentation at Verſailles, was carried from her hotel in the Queen's coach, preceded by the coach of the Introductor to Ambaſſadors, and followed by two of her Excellency's coaches; eight of her Gentlemen, dreſſed in ſcarlet and gold, preceded the coaches; and the livery-ſervants were ranged on each ſide.

An expreſs has been lately ſent to the Duke of Northumberland at Paris, in conſequence of which his Grace is expected home in a few days.

They write from Copenhagen, that the 18 young girls, who ſtrewed flowers before Queen Caroline Matilda, on her entry into that capital, had the honour of being preſented to her Majeſty on the 19th laſt, at the palace of Chriſtianſbourg, as alſo to the two Dowager Queens, and the Princeſſes Royal.

Tueſday there was the fulleſt Houſe of Commons ſince the commencement of the preſent ſeſſion, which did not break up till near twelve at night.

They write from Port L'Orient, that the French had abandoned their deſign of eſtabliſhing a ſettlement in the Molucca Iſles, in the Eaſt-Indies, and brought back the coloniſts and garriſon to Pondicherry.

We hear that the further inveſtigation of Eaſt India Affairs is poſtponed to the 21ſt of January next.

We hear there have been ſome diſturbances among the populace at Glaſgow, on account of the dearneſs of proviſions.

By letters from the Iſle of Sky we are informed that, at this and other Iſles, they are very ſucceſsful in the herring fiſhery, and that ſeveral buſſes there conſtantly employed upwards of 2000 ſailors.

December 13.

We are informed that a memorial has been preſented to his Majeſty, ſigned by the officers, in behalf of themſelves, and of the ſoldiers and ſeamen, who were at the taking of Pondicherry, praying relief from his Majeſty for the booty, plunder, &c. ſtores and ammunition, &c. taken at that capture, withheld from them by a certain company.

Yeſterday the Duke of Grafton, the two Secretaries of State, Lord Chatham, and other Lords of the Privy Council, attended his Majeſty at the Queen's Palace.

Extract of a letter from Paris, dated Dec. 1.

The following anſwer, made by the King of Poland to the repreſentations of the Empreſs of Ruſſia, in favour of the Proteſtants in that country, was tranſmitted to Madame Geoffrin.

"I have not forgot the obligations I am under to the Empreſs of Ruſſia, among the means which God Almighty made uſe of to raiſe me to the throne; but when I came to it, I promiſed the exact obſervation of my religion throughout my kingdom. If I was weak enough to abandon it, my life and my throne would be expoſed to the juſt reſentment of my ſubjects. I am threatened with forcible means to oblige me to do what is aſked of me, which would reduce me to an extremity equally unhappy. I perceive ſome danger in whatever reſolution I may take; but I had rather be expoſed to ſuch as my duty and honour induce me to make choice of; and from this time I join with my country in defence of our holy religion."

We are informed that the Eaſt-India Company's charter, granted in 1758, and all treaties and grants from any of the country powers in India, from the year 1756 to 1766, together with all letters, &c. between the company and their officers and ſervants: Alſo the true ſtate of their revenues in Bengal, and other parts of the Eaſt-Indies, are ordered to be produced. Likewiſe the whole expence the government have been at in ſupporting the ſaid Company for the above time, and the latter's petition to his late Majeſty in 1757, together with the Attorney and Solicitor-General's opinion thereon, are expected to be taken into conſideration the 21ſt of January next.

We hear that the French have propoſed to take off a part of our manufactures, in return for our permitting their cambricks to be imported and ſold openly as formerly, which, it is ſaid, has been partly agreed to; and that a new treaty of commerce between the two nations is forming, if not nearly or quite concluded, by which a reciprocal exchange of manufactures is to be allowed.

Yeſterday his Excellency M. Mello de Caſtro, Envoy Extraordinary from Portugal, had a conference of ſome hours with the two Secretaries of State, on the ſubject, as it is ſaid, of ſome diſpatches from the court of Liſbon.

Dec. 16. They write from Warſaw, that the Ruſſian and Pruſſian Miniſters have each preſented a declaration to the King, requiring that the law made in 1764, by virtue of which the affairs of œconomy and juſtice were to be decided by majority of votes, may ſtand confirmed; but that all matters which come under the denomination of affairs of ſtate, and particularly the augmentation of the troops, be excepted from ſuch manner of deciſion. This declaration, we are told, ſurpriſes as much, or more, than the recommendation made in favour of the Proteſtants.

There is advice from Poland, that four battalions of Ruſſian troops have entered the territories of the Prince Biſhop of Wilna.

Laſt Friday the Weſt-India merchants gave an elegant entertainment, at the King's arms in Cornhill, to ---- Thomas, Eſq; late Governor of the Leeward Iſlands; at which the Earl of Shelburne, Secretary of State, and divers other perſons of diſtinction, were preſent.

They write from Toulon, that the Diadem, of 90 guns, had juſt been launched there, and two more third rates would be ready to launch by the firſt of March next.

They write from Gibraltar, that the Spaniards have, for ſome time, been buſy in augmenting the fortifications of St. Roche, near that place, two hundred galley ſlaves having arrived from St. Sebaſtian's to forward the work.

Whitehall, Dec. 2. The King has been pleaſed to appoint Ulyſſes Fitzmaurice, Eſq; to be Lieutenant Governor of the Iſland of St. Vincent, in the room of Lauchlin Macleane, Eſq;

The King has been pleaſed to appoint William Hill, Eſq; to be Lieutenant Governor of the Iſland of Tobago, in the room of Alexander Brown, Eſq; deceaſed.

St. James's, Dec. 10. This day his Grace Harry Duke of Bolton, the Right Hon. Frederick North, and Sir Edward Hawke, Knight of the Bath, were, by his Majeſty's command, ſworn of his Majeſty's moſt honourable Privy-Council, and took their reſpective places at the board accordingly.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber,

A Tract of land, ſituate in Motherkiln Hundred, Kent county, lying on Motherkiln creek, within a quarter of a mile of a very public landing, containing 250 acres, 150 thereof good upland, with about 45 acres cleared, the reſt well timbered, and 100 acres of good marſh and cripple; a very convenient place for wharff and ſtores, and has been an accuſtomed landing. Alſo another tract of land, adjoining the aforeſaid, lying upon the great road leading to, and within a quarter of a mile of ſaid landing, containing 137 acres of good upland, well watered, about 60 acres cleared, the reſt well timbered, with a two ſtory brick houſe, a log kitchen, a good framed barn, ſtables, ſmoke houſe, and other buildings, ſuitable for a ſtore or tavern, both having been lately kept there. Likewiſe a lot and wharff, at the ſaid landing, with a ſtore houſe thereon, convenient for ſtoring grain, which is brought in great quantities. The ſaid plantation and lot to be ſold very cheap for caſh or ſhort credit, as the owner intends to move to Philadelphia; they will be ſold together or ſeparate, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. For terms, apply to ZACHARIAH GOFORTH, on the premiſes. § 8 w.

FRANCIS WADE,

In Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, intending leaving off the retail buſineſs, is now ſelling off all his ſtock in trade, at prime coſt, conſiſting of the following articles, viz.

YArd wide and 7-eights Iriſh linens, ſheetings and dowlas, long lawns, cambricks and clear lawns, 3-qr. 7-eights and yd. wd. cotton and linen checks and ſtripes, ſtriped hollands and dimeties, fuſtians and jeans, cotton velvets and velverets, ſingle and double worſted damaſks, calimancoes, ſtriped and plain camblets, durants, tammies, dorſetteens, hairbines, ſilverets, dreſdenets and meſſinets, a neat aſſortment of plain and figured ſilks, ribbons, ſilk mitts and gloves, figured and plain, a neat and well aſſorted parcel of men and womens ſilk ſtockings, worſted, thread and cotton ditto, low priced broadcloths, forreſt ditto, naps, plains and bearſkins, red flannel, cotton and worſted ſtriped linceys, red and ſcarlet ſerge, 8-qr. ſcarlet Bath coating, blankets and rugs, cottons, chintzes and calicoes, with a general aſſortment of other goods, too tedious to particularize; all of which are well laid in, and great part of them freſh goods, and he is determined to ſell them as above mentioned, for caſh only.

N. B. As he is now determined to collect his outſtanding debts ſo long due, he thought it neceſſary to give this notice to ſuch as are indebted to him to make immediate payment, ſo as to prevent the diſagreeableneſs of putting their accounts into the hands of another perſon, which undoubtedly muſt be the caſe, unleſs they comply with this requeſt, ſo as to enable him to ſettle his affairs, being determined on going to Europe in the Spring.

The ſtore, known by the name of WADE and HEMPHILL's NEW STORE, in Wilmington, will be continued as uſual by William Hemphill, with a conſtant ſupply of goods, ſuitable for the country, and which their cuſtomers may depend ſhall be ſold at the ſame rates we at firſt ſet out with, and the higheſt prices given for their produce in caſh. We are now taking in flaxſeed and wheat at the Philadelphia prices; and as the road from Lancaſter county is 15 miles ſhorter to Wilmington than Philadelphia, and no ferriage, we hope it will be an inducement for the waggons to come that way with their loading, where they may depend on being ſupplied with rum, ſugar, ſalt, &c. at as low rates as they can poſſibly have them in Philadelphia, and ſerved with the utmoſt diſpatch.

To be SOLD by THOMAS GILBERT, Cooper, at the Corner of Vine and Water-ſtreets, all the remaining Stock of Red Cedar now on Hand, conſiſting of

A Large Number of Timbers for Ship building, Wharff Poſts, large Gate Poſts, Street Poſts, Cellar Door Cheeks and Sills, Scantling of different Sizes, Inch and Half Inch Boards, &c. &c. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe the whole, ſhall have it at firſt Coſt, and a reaſonable Time for Payment of the Money, by applying to

† 6 *W.* THOMAS GILBERT.

BENJAMIN HARBESON,

IS removed to the Corner of Lætitia-Court, the South-side of Market-ſtreet, next Door to Samuel Mifflin, Eſq; where he carries on the Tin, and Copperſmith's Buſineſs, as uſual, and will be obliged to all Gentlemen and others for their Cuſtom, who may depend he will ſerve them on as good Terms as any Man in Philadelphia, in all Sorts of Copper Work, of any Dimenſions, ſuch as Stills of all Sizes, Brewers, Sugar-boilers, Dyers, and Soap-boilers Coppers; Braſs and Copper Waſhing-kettles, Fiſh-kettles, Tea-kettles, Boilers, Stewpans, Pye-pans, Saucepans, Capuchin Plate-warmers; Braſs and Copper Scales of all Sizes, Warming-pans, Chafing-diſhes, Chocolate and Coffee-pots, Copper Compaſs Lamps for Shipping, Copper Preſerving-pans, Coolers, Ships Stoves, and Silverſmiths Boilers; Braſs and Iron Candleſticks, Braſs Cocks of all Sorts, Spelter Solder and Borax for Braziers, Braſs and Iron Wire of all Sizes, an Aſſortment of beſt London Pewter, Bell-metal Skillets and Kettles, a good Aſſortment of Tin Ware by Wholeſale or Retail, and Boxes of Tin Plate, on the beſt Terms. He will likewiſe buy or exchange for old Copper, Braſs, Pewter or Lead, at the Market Price. ⊕ 3M.

Imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool, and Ireland, and to be ſold, on the moſt reaſonable terms, by

CARSON, BARCLAY and MITCHELL,

At their ſtore, in Front-ſtreet,

YARD wd. 7-eights, and 3-qr. Iriſh linens, 9-eights ſheeting, yd. and 3-eights, yd. 7-eights, 3-qr. and 10 nail linen and cotton checks, 7-eights, and 3-qr. bed ticks, 8-qr. 7-qr. and half, 7-qr. 6-qr. and half, and 6-qr. bed-bunts, linen and cotton hollands, womens ſilk and cotton gowns, a great variety of callicoes, chints, cottons, printed linens, and muſlins, of the neweſt patterns, blue and white printed linen handkerchiefs, ſhort yd. 7-eights, and 3-qr. black, blue, Culgee, and Barcelona handkerchiefs, black ſilk cravats, ſilk, worſted, cotton, and ſilk and worſted hoſe, ſilk and worſted breeches patterns, 6-qr, 7-qr. and 10-qr. damaſk table cloths, 3-qr. diaper and huckaback, cambricks, long lawns, and 6-qr. muſlins, taffeties, half-ell mantuas, and womens black Manchester velvets, callimancoes, ſilver watches, taylors thread, Scotch and Drogheda ozenbrigs, with an aſſortment of forreſt cloths, naps, frizes, rugs, ſhalloons, and duffils, ſuitable to the ſeaſon. They have alſo for ſale, Engliſh cordage, made of the beſt hemp, and two anchors, about 1100 each. tbctf.

JOSEPH ALLARDYCE and COMPANY,

Lately from London, at the Sign of the Blue Hand, in Race-ſtreet, between Front and Second Streets, take this Method of informing the Publick,

THAT they dye and clean all Sorts of Silks and Velvets, Mens Clothes, with Gold and Silver Lace, refreſh and ſcour ſcarlet Cloaks, Bed Curtains, &c. They dye Cotton and Linen Yarn; and alſo dye, dreſs and preſs whole Pieces of Cloth. Any Gentlemen, Tradeſmen, or others, who pleaſe to favour them with their Cuſtom, may depend on having their Work done in the beſt Manner. ¶ 5s. Tbe. 2 M.

To be LET, and entered on immediately,

THE noted and well-accuſtomed Beer-houſe, in Lætitia-Court (known by the Name of Knight's Beer-houſe) being not more conveniently ſituated for a Beer-houſe or Tavern, than for any other public Buſineſs, as it is in the Heart of the Town, and very nigh the Market; it is two Stories high, has three Rooms on a Floor, and good Garrets; alſo a new Brick Kitchen back, with two Rooms over, a ſmall Yard, and good Cellars under the whole. For Terms apply to FRANCIS HARRIS, in Second-ſtreet. Tbctf.

THE Subſcriber hereby informs ſuch Perſons as will have any Buſineſs to tranſact with him, or by him, that he now reſides on the East Side of Front-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the London Coffee-houſe, the fourth Houſe from Market-ſtreet towards Cheſtnut-ſtreet; where he continues to draw Deeds, and other Writings, in the Conveyancing Branch: He alſo, when thereto required, draws States of Clients Caſes, proper to be laid before their Counſel. Thoſe who pleaſe to employ him, may depend upon his utmoſt Care, Secrecy and Diligence, in all Buſineſs he tranſacts.

The Subſcriber now gratefully acknowledges the Favours of thoſe who have been pleaſed to employ him heretofore, and his beſt Endeavours ſhall be uſed, ſo as to merit a Continuance of the ſame.

He has to diſpoſe of, 203 Acres of Land (and the uſual Allowance of 6 per Cent. for Roads, &c.) ſituated in Shearman's Valley, in Cumberland County, warranted, ſurveyed and returned; the Land is very well timbered and watered, there is Water-carriage from the Premiſes as far as the Saſquehanna is navigable, being on a Branch of the Little Juniata, two Miles Diſtance from the Saſquehanna, and but 14 Miles Diſtance from the County Town. He will give reaſonable Credit for Payment of the Purchaſe Money. A Draught of the Survey may be ſeen, upon Application to the Subſcriber. tbc. WILLIAM MURRAY.

To be SOLD by

BALDWIN and GILBERT,

On the South-ſide of Vine-ſtreet, the third Door from the Corner of Front-ſtreet,

WEST-INDIA Rum, Muſcovado Sugar, Liſbon and Liverpool Salt. ¶ 3 M.

ANY Perſon willing to undertake the Building of a Stone Dwelling-houſe, about 60 Feet by 40, with Offices below (the Undertaker to find all Materials and Labourers, and to compleat the Work) is deſired to ſend his Propoſals to Mr. JONAS GREEN, Printer, at Annapolis. The Place where the Houſe is to be built, is near Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, Maryland, and there is great Plenty of Materials very convenient. On Application to Mr. Arthur Charlton, of Frederick-Town, he will ſhew the Place whereon the Houſe is to be built. 5 W.

JOSEPH STRETCH,

COLLECTOR of Exciſe for the City and County of Philadelphia, being required, by the Provincial Treaſurer, to pay the Outſtandings of his Office, hereby gives Notice to all Retailers of ſpirituous Liquors, from whom any Exciſe is due, that unleſs they make immediate Payment thereof, he will proceed againſt them as the Law directs, without further Notice or Delay.

N. B. The Hatting Buſineſs is carried on as formerly, where Store-keepers, and others, may be ſupplied, as uſual. §

Cæcil county, Maryland.

ON Wedneſday, the 25th of March, at the late dwelling-houſe of Colonel PETER BAYARD, on Bohemia, will be ſold by public vendue, all the houſhold furniture of the deceaſed, conſiſting of a variety of very valuable articles, many of them almoſt new; the negroe men, women and children; the carts, waggons, plows, and other farming utenſils; with all the ſtock of horſes, cows, ſheep, hogs, &c. The terms of the vendue will be made known at the opening of the ſales.

JONATHAN B. SMITH.

THE Managers of the St. PETER'S, &c. CHURCH LOTTERY, give Notice to the Public, that in Conſequence of their former Advertiſement, they have put the Tickets into the Wheels, and do now deſire the Gentlemen who have had Tickets for Sale from any of the Managers, to inform them as ſoon as poſſible how many Tickets they have diſpoſed of, that they may be enabled, by knowing the exact Number on Hand, to appoint the Day of Drawing. Therefore thoſe who intend to become Adventurers and Promoters of this good Intent, are deſired to be ſpeedy in their Application for Tickets.

The SCHEME.

1	of	£ 750	0 0	is	£ 750 0 0
1	of	375	0 0	is	375 0 0
4	of	187	10 0	are	750 0 0
4	of	93	15 0	are	375 0 0
5	of	75	0 0	are	375 0 0
16	of	56	5 0	are	900 0 0
30	of	37	10 0	are	1125 0 0
30	of	28	2 6	are	843 15 0
40	of	18	15 0	are	750 0 0
70	of	11	5 0	are	787 10 0
200	of	7	10 0	are	1500 0 0
140	of	5	12 6	are	787 10 0
200	of	3	15 0	are	750 0 0
1000	of	3	0 0	are	3000 0 0
3080	of	2	5 0	are	6930 0 0
				First drawn,	13 2 6
				Laſt drawn,	13 2 6
4821 Prizes.					£ 20025 0 0
8529 Blanks.					
13350 Tickets, at 30s. each,					£ 20025 0 0

In this Scheme there are not quite two Blanks to a Prize, notwithſtanding the ſeveral large Prizes contained in it, and the Deduction is but Fifteen per Centum, ſo that the whole is calculated in the moſt advantageous Manner poſſible for the Adventurers, and the ſtrongeſt Proviſions made in the Law for faithful Management; and therefore it is not doubted but the Generoſity of the Public will co-operate with the Care of the Legiſlature for promoting a Deſign of ſuch a pious and extenſive Nature.

The following Perſons are by Law appointed Managers, viz. "Jacob Duche, Eſq; Charles Stedman, Thomas Gordon, Joſeph "Sims, Edward Duffield, John Ord, John Knowles, and Da-"niel Rundle," Gentlemen, who are upon Oath, and Doctor John Kearſly, ſenior, Treaſurer, who has given ſufficient Security for the faithful Diſcharge of the Truſt repoſed in him.--The Prizes to be publiſhed in the Pennſylvania Gazette and Journal, and the Prize Money paid as ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed, the aforeſaid Deduction being firſt made. Prize Money not demanded within nine Months, to be deemed as generouſly given to the Churches, and to be applied accordingly.

Tickets at 30s. each, may be had of the Managers above mentioned, at their ſeveral Houſes in Philadelphia.

Tickets alſo may be had of the following Gentlemen, viz Mr. William Bradford, and Mr. David Hall, at Philadelphia; Paul Jackſon, Eſq; at Cheſter; Matthias Slough, Eſq; at Lancaſter; Samuel Johnſon, Eſq; at York; Francis Weſt, Eſq; at Carliſle; John Patoun, Eſq; at Reading; Lewis Gordon, Eſq; at Eaſton.

ROBERT and NATHANIEL LEWIS,

At their Store (formerly occupied by John Mifflin) in Water and Front-ſtreets, near the Draw-Bridge, have for Sale,

WEST-INDIA and New England Rum, Melaſſes, Muſcovado and Loaf Sugars, Bohea Tea, Coffee, Rice, Weſton's Snuff, Waggon or Team Bells, 12, 14, and 16 to the ſett, Saw-Mill and Croſs-cut Saws, a Parcel of Carpenters Tools, and one pair of very good 4 Feet 4 Inch Cologne Mill-ſtones.

Alſo BOULTING CLOTHS, ſuperfine, fine, midling and coarſe; where Millers and others may be ſupplied, ſuitable to every Branch of the Boulting Buſineſs; and as we have had long Experience both in that and the Millering Buſineſs, thoſe unacquainted with Cloths, may depend on having of the beſt Quality, and proper Directions in what Manner to uſe them. 2 m

To be SOLD,

A Handſome, well finiſhed Brick Houſe, two Stories high, four Rooms on each Floor, beſides Garrets, a large dry Cellar under the whole Houſe, properly divided; the Rooms above and below Stairs are genteelly papered, a convenient Kitchen adjoining, with Chambers for Servants, ſituate in King's Street, in Trenton, not far from the Falls of Delaware; the Lot contains about Three Quarters of an Acre, and extends through to Queen-ſtreet, on which are placed the Stables. Alſo ſeveral five Acre Lots of Meadow, Orchard, and Paſture Lands, each good of their Kind, near and convenient to the Town; as alſo a good Houſe, and new large framed Barn, with 17 Acres of excellent Land, 8 Acres of which is Garden, Meadow and Orchard; the Remainder good Woodland, ſituate in Trenton, and ſeems well calculated for a Shopkeeper, or Tradeſman, &c. The Purchaſer may have any reaſonable Time given him for Payment of the Purchaſe Money, with Intereſt.

¶ 7 6. WILLIAM PIDGEON.

Philadelphia, November 4. 1766.

Imported in the Hope, Captain Marſhall, and the Ann and Elizabeth, Captain Chancellor, from London, and to be ſold on the loweſt terms, by

JOHN GIBSON,

At his ſtore, in Market-ſtreet (late Mr. John Wikoff's) near the Indian Queen tavern, the corner of Fourth-ſtreet, an aſſortment of merchandize, ſuitable to the ſeaſon, conſiſting of

COARSE, ſuper and ſuperfine cloths, coarſe and fine naps, impenetrable, or water proof cloth, red and green baiſe, kerſeys, plains, red 8-qr. coating, forreſt cloths, ſcarlet ſerge, embоſſed flannels, Mecklenburghs, roſe blankets, hair-ſhag, cotton velvets, womens cloaks, raven duck, Ruſſia ſheetings, Iriſh ditto, Britannias, Iriſh linens, Ruſſia drilling, calicoes, cottons, coarſe and fine muſlins, ſtriped ditto, book ditto, lungee romals, brown rolls, cambricks and lawns, cotton and linen checks, Flanders and Engliſh ticken, gauzes flowered and plain, black peelongs, Perſian taffeties, white ſarſnet, Engliſh ſilk damaſk, plain and ſtriped camblets, camblettees,, purple and brown dorſetteens, ſingle and double worſted damaſks, corded poplins, Venetians, ſhaloons, rattinets, durants, callimancoes broad and narrow, worſted and cotton ſtockings, gold baſket buttons, mohair buttons, baſket ditto, ſcarſe twiſt, mohair ſewing ſilk, thread, pins, ſilk ferrets, quality bindings, ſilk knee garters, Harry's playing cards, mens beaver gloves, neſts of trunks, knives and forks, Barlow's penknives, piſtol caps, ivory hunters, womens ſciſſars, common and caſt ſteel, raſors, &c.

He has likewiſe for ſale, choice old Malaga and Teneriffe wine, beſt Lucca oil, and jar raiſins, &c. Tbc.

GEORGE SCHLOSSER,

In Second-ſtreet, betwixt Race and Vine-ſtreets,

ACQUAINTS his cuſtomers, and others, who will favour him with their cuſtom, that he has a pretty parcel of the very beſt and middling Engliſh muſcovado ſugars, which he laid in laſt ſpring on good terms, and will ſell very reaſonable for caſh, wholeſale and retail. ¶

CAME to the Plantation of JOHN HOLMES, in Lower Dublin Townſhip, Philadelphia County, ſome Time in November laſt paſt, three ſtray Cattle, two Heifers, and one Cow; one of the Heifers light red, the other brindle; the Cow dark brown. The Owner or Owners coming and deſcribing their other Marks, proving their Property, and paying Charges, may have them again. ¶

TO be SOLD, RENTED, or EXCHANGED, for land near this city, the ſeveral houſes and lots herein deſcribed, ſituate in the borough of Wilmington, in the county of New-Caſtle, viz.

One lot of about a quarter of an acre, near the upper Market-houſe, with a brick houſe, kitchen, and tallow chandler's ſhop thereon erected.

One meadow lot, containing about three quarters of an acre, with a fine ſtream of water running through the ſame, and a convenient ſtable built thereon.

One orchard lot, of near two acres, 50 of the beſt grafted apple trees, and now in their prime, fenced with cedar poſts and oak rails, containing one whole ſquare, as now laid out, and fronts one of the main ſtreets leading into town, near Friend's Meeting Houſe, has a beautiful proſpect, is very level, and good for graſs.

One very good mowing lot, containing about 3 quarters of an acre, on French-ſtreet, near the water-ſide.

One other lot of 4 rods, on Front-ſtreet, continuing its breadth into the river Chriſtiana, on which is erected a good wharff (ſufficient for topſail veſſels to lie at) a convenient brick ſtore, with 3 floors, and divided into ſuitable apartments for ſalt, rum, wheat, flour, &c. Alſo a large frame ſtore adjoining the other, with granaries up ſtairs for ſtoring of grain; and a two ſtory brick dwelling-houſe, kitchen, and a large frame ſtable, which will hold four teams of horſes, a rich garden, contiguous to the ſame, and a pump in the yard.

Thoſe who may incline to agree for the above mentioned premiſes, or any part thereof, are deſired to apply to the ſubſcriber; or if the ſaid wharff and ſtores ſhould not ſhortly be otherwiſe diſpoſed of, any perſon who is well qualified to join in partnerſhip, to carry on the buſineſs of ſhalloping there as formerly, is likewiſe deſired to apply to the ſubſcriber, in Front-ſtreet, near the Drawbridge, who will treat with him upon the terms.

ROBERT LEWIS.

THE Subſcriber, living in Second-ſtreet, at the Corner of Taylor's Alley, oppoſite the Golden Fleece Tavern, takes this Method of informing the Public, that ſhe intends to make Grave-Clothes, and lay out the Dead, in the neateſt Manner; and as ſhe is informed a Perſon in this Buſineſs is much wanted in this City, ſhe hopes, by her Care, to give Satisfaction to thoſe who will be pleaſed to favour her with their Orders.

¶ 5s. Tbc. LYDIA DARRAGH.

TO be ſold by the Subſcribers, Executors of Edward Hill, late of Benſalem, in the County of Bucks, and Province of Pennſylvania, all the real Eſtate of the ſaid Edward Hill, conſiſting of the following Tracts or Lots of Land, with the Improvements thereon, viz.

1. A Tract of Land, ſituate in Benſalem aforeſaid, on which the Red Lyon Inn is ſituate, with good Stables, and every Thing neceſſary for the Accommodation of Travellers, and two good bearing Orchards thereon, containing 100 Acres, more or leſs. The ſaid Inn and Plantation is now under a parole Leaſe for two Years to come, from the Firſt Day of March next, at 60l. per Annum.

2. A ſmall Lot of 4 Acres of Ground, with a ſmall Tenement thereon, ſituate in Dublin Townſhip, near Pennypack Bridge.

3. Another ſmall Lot of 22 Acres, with a Stone Tenement thereon, about one Mile from Frankford Bridge, in the Corner of the Road leading to Briſtol, and the Road leading to Oxford.

4. Another Tract of Land, ſituate on the River Delaware, in the ſaid Townſhip of Benſalem, bounded on the River Delaware, by Lands of Septimus Robinſon, Eſq; and others, containing 100 Acres; a very fine Situation for a Gentleman's Country Seat.

5. Alſo one other Tract of Land, ſituate in the ſame Townſhip of Benſalem, adjoining a Road leading to the ſaid River Delaware, Land of John Kidd, the aforeſaid River, and Lands of Joſeph Jackſon, and the Widow Williamſon, containing 172 Acres, ſtrict Meaſure.

6. And alſo one other Tract of Land, ſituate in Benſalem aforeſaid, adjoining a Piece of Land belonging to the Proprietor, and Lands now in Poſſeſſion of the Widow Williamſon, upon the aforeſaid Road leading to the River Delaware, then up the ſaid River to the Place of Beginning, containing about 115 Acres, ſtrict Meaſure, on which a Ferry is now kept over the River to Fennamore's Landing, within three Miles of Burlington, formerly called Dunks's Ferry, with a good Houſe thereon. Any Perſon or Perſons having an Inclination to purchaſe either or any of the ſaid deſcribed Tracts, Pieces or Parcels of Land, by applying to either of the Subſcribers, Executors of the ſaid Eſtate, may know the Conditions of Sale. SARAH HILL, JOHN KIDD, JOHN DENORMANDIE, RICHARD GIBBS.

All Perſons having any Demands againſt the Eſtate, are deſired to ſend them in, duly proved; and all thoſe indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to pay the ſame immediately.

N. B. A Pair of very good Timber Wheels to be ſold, with Screw, Boxes and Chains, all in compleat good Order; to be ſeen at Dunks's Ferry, as above.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of the late Colonel Peter Bayard, of Bohemia, Cecil County Maryland, by bond, bill or book debt, are deſired to diſcharge the ſame, without delay, to Captain John Veazey junior, of Cecil County aforeſaid: And all thoſe who have any demands againſt the eſtate, are deſired to bring them in to ſaid Veazey to be adjuſted; he being impowered for the above purpoſes by

JONATHAN BAYARD SMITH, ſurviving Executor.

One half of the plantation on which the deceaſed dwelt, is to be lett, with the dwelling-houſe, out-houſes and improvements; for terms apply to Mr. Samuel Bayard at Bohemia, or to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia; who is alſo willing to diſpoſe of ſome of the Negroes at private ſale, any day before the vendue.

ELLIS LEWIS,

HAS imported a large and good Aſſortment of the beſt fine, ſuperfine, middling and coarſe BOULTING CLOTHS, which he will ſell on the loweſt Terms, at his Houſe, in Second-ſtreet, near Spruce-ſtreet, oppoſite Archibald M'Call's. From his Experience in Boulting Cloths, and the Millering Buſineſs, he can give proper Directions to thoſe unacquainted with Cloths, and they may depend on being ſupplied with thoſe that are moſt ſuitable to that Part of the Boulting Buſineſs which they may be deſigned for. 2 M.

WHEREAS Samuel Atlee, and John Douglaſs, both of Lancaſter County, obtained of the Subſcriber, two Bonds, one conditioned for the Payment of £ 90, and the other for £ 66, which hath ſince been paid to them, but the Bonds have not been delivered to the Subſcriber; theſe are therefore to deſire all Perſons not to take an Aſſignment of ſaid Bonds, as I will not pay them, for the Reaſon aforeſaid.

¶ THOMAS DOWDLE.

Philadelphia, February 19, 1766.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Subſcriber by Mortgage, Bond, Note or Book Accounts, are deſired to make Payment, before the Firſt Day of May next, otherwiſe they may expect their contracts to be put into Lawyers Hands, without any further Notice, which will be very diſagreeable to their humble Servant,

ADAM HOOPS.

February 4, 1767.

STOLEN, laſt Wedneſday Night out of the Smoke-houſe of Henry Court, near Pool's Bridge, in the Northern Liberties, ſix Skins, viz. two large Buckſkins, one middle ſized Ditto, and three Fawn Skins. Whoever brings them to HENRY COURT, in Second-ſtreet, near the Barracks, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward. ¶

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

PHILADELPHIA.

An ACT *to enable the Commiſſioners therein after named to ſettle the Accounts of the Managers, and to ſue for and recover from ſeveral Perſons, their Executors, Adminiſtrators and Aſſigns, ſuch Sums of Money as are now due and unpaid, on Account of the Lottery ſet up and drawn, for erecting a Houſe of Worſhip, in the Borough of* Lancaſter, *for the Uſe of the* Preſbyterian *Congregation in and about the ſaid Borough.*

WHEREAS it hath been repreſented by Petition to this Houſe, that the Society of People called *Preſbyterians*, reſiding in and near the Borough of *Lancaſter* aforeſaid, being deſtitute of a proper Place for public Worſhip, and not able of themſelves to erect a Building ſuitable for that Purpoſe, were obliged ſome Time ſince to have Recourſe to a Lottery, thereby to obtain the Aſſiſtance of well diſpoſed Perſons of other Denominations; that the ſaid Society did accordingly ſet on Foot a Lottery, for raiſing the Sum of *Five Hundred Pounds*, which was drawn at *Lancaſter* in the Year One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Sixty-three; that a Houſe of Worſhip was raiſed, and covered with all Expedition, after drawing the ſaid Lottery, by the Perſons appointed to ſettle and collect the Debts due from the Managers and Adventurers, and to carry on the Work; that the Society are, however, prevented from finiſhing the Building, or making the ſame any way convenient for the Uſes intended, by Reaſon that ſeveral of the ſaid Managers, of whom Security was neglected to be taken, and ſome of the Adventurers, have never accounted for, and yet retain in their Hands, conſiderable Sums of Money ariſing from the ſaid Lottery; that the Petitioners are therefore apprehenſive the ſaid Building will fall into Decay, whereby all the Expence and Labour, hitherto beſtowed, may be rendered fruitleſs, unleſs they can be indulged with the Aid of a Law to appoint certain Commiſſioners, in Behalf of the ſaid Society, to demand and recover from the delinquent Managers, and others, ſuch Sums of Money ariſing from the Lottery aforeſaid, as are yet unpaid, and to apply the ſame to the Purpoſes originally intended; Be it therefore enacted by the Honourable JOHN PENN, Eſq; Lieutenant-Governor, under the Honourable THOMAS PENN, and RICHARD PENN, Eſquires, true and abſolute Proprietaries of the Province of *Pennſylvania*, and Counties of *New-Caſtle*, *Kent* and *Suſſex*, upon *Delaware*, by and with the Advice and Conſent of the Repreſentatives of the Freemen of the ſaid Province, in GENERAL ASSEMBLY met, and by the Authority of the ſame, That *William Montgomery*, *John Craig*, and *James Davis*, Members of the ſaid Congregation, be, and they are hereby nominated and appointed Commiſſioners to ſettle the Accounts of the ſaid Lottery with the ſaid Managers, their Executors, Adminiſtrators or Aſſigns. And in order to enable them to execute and perform the ſaid Duty, Be it enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, That all and every the Managers and Sellers of Tickets, concerned in the ſaid Lottery, their and every of their Executors and Adminiſtrators, are hereby enjoined and required, within three Months next after the Publication hereof, upon Requeſt to them, or any or either of them, made by the ſaid Commiſſioners, to render fair and juſt Accounts of the Monies by them, or any of them, received, with the Debts to them, or any of them, due and owing, for, or on Account of Tickets ſold, and the Names of the Perſon or Perſons, who ſtand indebted to the ſaid Managers, or any of them, their or any of their Executors or Adminiſtrators, for Tickets ſold as aforeſaid; and upon Settlement of ſuch Acccounts with the ſaid Commiſſioners, or a Majority of them, the ſaid Managers and Sellers of Tickets, and every of them, their and every of their Executors and Adminiſtrators, upon any Sum of Money being found in their Hands, or from them or either of them due, or from any other Perſon or Perſons to them, or either of them, indebted for Tickets purchaſed as aforeſaid, ſhall, and they are hereby enjoined and required forthwith to pay to the ſaid Commiſſioners, or a Majority of them, the Sums from them reſpectively due to the ſaid Lottery.

And the better to enable the ſaid Managers and Sellers of Tickets to ſettle and pay off their reſpective Ballances to the ſaid Commiſſioners, all Adventurers and Purchaſers of Tickets in the ſaid Lottery, are hereby ſtrictly enjoined and required forthwith to pay to the ſaid Managers and Sellers of Tickets, all and every the Sum and Sums of Money by them reſpectively owing and unpaid; and in Default of Payment as aforeſaid, it ſhall and may be lawful to and for the ſaid Commiſſioners, or a Majority of them, and to and for the Managers and Sellers of Tickets in the ſaid Lottery, to ſue for and recover all ſuch Sums of Money, by Action of Debt, Action on the Caſe, or otherwiſe, as may be proper; if above *Five Pounds*, in any Court of Common Pleas within this Province; if *Five Pounds*, or under, before any Juſtice of the Peace, and upon Trial, to give this Act, and other legal Proof in Evidence; and if it ſhall appear to the Court and Jury, or to the Juſtice of the Peace aforeſaid, on any Trial by Virtue of this Act before them reſpectively had, that the Sum demanded, or any Part thereof, is juſtly due, then the ſaid Court or Juſtice reſpectively ſhall give Judgment againſt the Defendant for ſo much as ſhall appear to be due, with Coſts of Suit, and ſhall award Execution for the ſame, as is uſually done in like Actions before them reſpectively triable and determinable by the Laws of this Province; but if no Part of the Sum demanded ſhall appear to be due as aforeſaid, then the ſaid Court or Juſtice reſpectively ſhall give Judgment for the Coſts againſt the Plaintif, which Coſts ſhall be paid out of the Monies recovered or collected by Virtue of this Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, That the ſaid Commiſſioners ſhall, with all convenient Speed, pay all and every the Sum and Sums of Money by them recovered and collected, into the Hands of ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall be appointed by the ſaid *Preſbyterian* Congregation to receive the ſame, and compleat the Building aforeſaid; which Perſon or Perſons, ſo receiving the ſaid Sum or Sums of Money, are hereby enjoined and required to ſettle with, and account for the ſame, with the Elders of the ſaid Congregation.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, That this Act, and every Article, Clauſe and Thing therein contained, ſhall be and continue in full Force, for and during the Term of three Years from the Publication thereof, and from thence to the End of the next Sitting of Aſſembly, and no longer.

What follows was deſigned for our laſt Week's Paper, but obliged to be deferred for want of Room.

To the Printers of the PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Tho' the following obſervations on the preſent ſtate of the Stage, have been already publiſhed in England, yet as the nature and effects of theatrical entertainments are not ſo well known or underſtood, where they are leſs in uſe, by giving the ſame a place in your next paper, you will oblige many of your conſtant Readers.

CIVIS.

WHEN I conſider churches, and the matter of divine ſervice, that it conſiſts of holy readings, prayers, and exhortations to piety, there is reaſon to think, that the houſe of God is a natural means of promoting piety and religion, and rendering men devout, and ſenſible of their duty to God. The very nature of divine aſſemblies thus carried on, has this direct tendency: I aſk you whether this is not very plain, that churches, thus employed, ſhould have this effect? Conſider therefore the play-houſe, and the matter of the entertainment there, as it conſiſts of love-intrigues, blaſphemous paſſions, profane diſcourſes, lewd deſcriptions, filthy jeſts, and all the moſt extravagant rant of wanton, profligate perſons of both ſexes, heating and enflaming one another with all the wantonneſs of addreſs, the immodeſty of motion, and lewdneſs of thought, that wit can invent: Conſider, I ſay, whether it be not plain, that a houſe ſo employed, is as certainly ſerving the cauſe of immorality and vice, as the houſe of God is ſerving the cauſe of piety? For what is there in our church ſervice, that ſhews it to be uſeful to piety and holineſs; what is there in divine worſhip to correct and amend the heart, but what is directly contrary to all that is doing in the play-houſe? So that one may, with the ſame aſſurance, affirm, that the play-houſe, not only when ſome very profane play is on the ſtage, but in its daily, common entertainments, is as certainly the houſe of the Devil, as the church is the houſe of God. For though the Devil be not profeſſedly worſhipped by hymns directed to him, yet moſt that is there ſung, is to his ſervice; he is there obeyed and pleaſed in as certain a manner, as God is worſhipped and honoured in the church.

You muſt eaſily ſee, that the charge againſt the play-houſe is not the effect of any particular temper, or weakneſs of mind; that it is not an uncertain conjecture of religious whimſy; but is a judgment founded as plainly in the nature and reaſon of things, as when it is affirmed, that the houſe of God is of ſervice to religion: And he that abſolutely condemns the play-houſe, as wicked and corrupting, proceeds upon as much truth and certainty, as he that abſolutely commends the houſe of God, as holy, and tending to promote piety.

When therefore any one pretends to vindicate the ſtage to you, as a proper entertainment, for holy and religious perſons, you ought to reject the attempt with as much abhorrence, as if he ſhould offer to ſhew you, that our church ſervice was rightly formed for thoſe perſons to join in, who are devoted to the Devil. For to talk of the lawfulneſs and uſefulneſs of the ſtage, is full as abſurd, and contrary to the plain nature of things, as to talk of the unlawfulneſs and miſchief of the ſervice of the church. He therefore that tells you, that you may ſafely go to the play-houſe, as an innocent, uſeful entertainment of your mind, commits the ſame offence againſt common ſenſe, as if he ſhould tell you, that it was dangerous to attend at divine ſervice, and that its prayers and hymns were great pollutions to the mind.

For the matter and manner of ſtage entertainments is as undeniable proof, and as obvious to common ſenſe, that the houſe belongs to the Devil, and is the place of his honour, as the matter and manner of church ſervice proves that the place is appropriated to God.

Obſerve therefore, that as you do not want the aſſiſtance of any one, to ſhew you the uſefulneſs and advantage of divine ſervice, becauſe the thing is plain, and ſpeaks for itſelf; ſo neither, on the other hand, need you any one to ſhew you the unlawfulneſs and miſchief of the ſtage, becauſe there the thing is equally plain, and ſpeaks for itſelf. So that you are to conſider yourſelf as having the ſame aſſurance, that the ſtage is wicked, and to be abhorred and avoided by all chriſtians, as you have, that the ſervice of the church is holy, and to be ſought after by all lovers of holineſs. Conſider therefore, that your conduct, with relation to the ſtage, is not a matter of nicety, or ſcrupulous exactneſs; but that you are as certain that you do wrong in as notorious a manner, when you go to the play-houſe, as you are certain that you do right, when you go to church.

Now it is of mighty uſe to conceive things in a right manner, and to ſee them as they are in their own nature. Whilſt you conſider the play-houſe only as a place of diverſion, it may perhaps give no offence to your mind. There is nothing ſhocking in the thought of it; but if you would lay aſide this name of it for a while, and conſider it in its own nature, as it really is, you would find that you are as much deceived, if you conſider the play-houſe, as only the place of diverſion, as you would be, if you conſidered the houſe of God, only as a place of labour.

When therefore you are tempted to go to a play, either from your own inclination, or from the deſire of a friend, fancy that you was aſked in plain terms to go to the place of the Devil's abode, where he holds his filthy court of evil ſpirits; that you was aſked to join in an entertainment, where he was at the head of it; where the whole of it was in order to his glory, that mens hearts and minds might be ſeparated from God, and plunged into all the pollutions of ſin and brutality. Fancy that you are going to a place that as certainly belongs to the Devil, as the Heathen temples of old, where brutes were worſhipped, where wanton hymns were ſung to Venus, and drunken ſongs to the god of wine. Fancy that you are as certainly going to the Devil's triumph, as if you was going to thoſe old ſports, where people committed murder, and offered Chriſtians to be devoured by wild beaſts, for the diverſion of the ſpectators. Now whilſt you conſider the play-houſe in this view, I ſuppoſe you can no more go to a play, than you can renounce your Chriſtianity.

Conſider now therefore, that you have not been frighting yourſelf with groundleſs imaginations, but that which you have here fancied of the play-houſe is as ſtrictly true, as if you had been fancying, that when you go to church, you go to the houſe of God, where the heavenly hoſt attend upon his ſervice; and that when you read the ſcriptures, and ſing holy hymns, you join with the choirs above, and do God's will on earth, as it is done in heaven. For obſerve, I pray you, how juſtly that opinion of the play-houſe is founded. For was it a joy to him to ſee idols worſhipped, to ſee hymns and adorations offered up to impure and filthy deities? Were places and feſtivals appointed for ſuch ends, juſtly eſteemed places and feſtivals devoted to the Devil? Now give the reaſon why all this was juſtly reckoned a ſervice to the Devil, and you will give as good a reaſon why the play-houſe is to be eſteemed his temple.

For what though hymns and adorations are not offered to impure and filthy deities, yet if impurity and filthineſs is the entertainment; if immodeſt ſongs, profane rant; if luſt and paſſion entertain the audience, the buſineſs is the ſame, and the aſſembly does the ſame honour to the Devil, though they be not gathered together in the name of ſome Heathen god.

For impurity and profaneneſs in the worſhippers of the true God, is as acceptable a ſervice to the Devil, as impurity and profaneneſs in idolaters; and perhaps a lewd ſong, in an aſſembly of Chriſtians, gives him a greater delight, than in a congregation of Heathens.

If therefore we may ſay, that a houſe or feſtival was the Devil's, becauſe he was delighted with it; becauſe what was there done, was an acceptable ſervice to him; we may be aſſured that the play-houſe is as really the houſe of the Devil, as any other houſe ever was. Nay, it is reaſonable to think, that the play-houſes in this kingdom are a greater pleaſure to him, than any temple he ever had in the Heathen world. For as it is a greater conqueſt, to make the diſciples of Chriſt delight in lewdneſs and profaneneſs, than ignorant Heathens; ſo a houſe that, in the midſt of Chriſtian churches, trains up Chriſtians to lewdneſs and profaneneſs, that makes the worſhippers of Chriſt flock together in crowds, to rejoice in an entertainment that is contrary to the ſpirit of Chriſt, as Hell is contrary to Heaven: A houſe ſo employed, may juſtly be reckoned a more delightful habitation of the Devil, than any temple in the Heathen world.

When therefore you go to the play-houſe, you have as much aſſurance you go to the Devil's peculiar habitation, that you ſubmit to his deſigns, and rejoice in his diverſions (which are his beſt devices againſt Chriſtianity) you have as much aſſurance of this, as that they who worſhipped filthy deities, were in reality worſhippers of the Devil.

Hence it appears, that if inſtead of conſidering the play-houſe as only a place of diverſion, you will but examine what materials it is made of; if you will but conſider the nature of the entertainment, and what is there doing, you will find it as wicked a place, as ſinful a diverſion, and as truly the peculiar pleaſure of the Devil, as any wicked place, or ſinful diverſion in the Heathen world. When therefore you are aſked to go to a play, don't think that you are only aſked to go to a diverſion, but be aſſured that you are aſked to yield to the Devil, to go over to his party, and to make one of his congregation. That if you do go, you have not only the guilt of buying ſo much vain communication, and paying people for being wicked, but are alſo as certainly guilty of going to the Devil's houſe, and doing him the ſame honour, as if you was to partake of ſome Heathen feſtival. You muſt conſider, that all the laughter there is not only vain and fooliſh; but that it is a laughter amongſt Devils, that you are upon profane ground, and hearing muſick in the very porch of Hell.

Thus it is in the reaſon of the thing; and if we ſhould now conſider the ſtate of our play-houſe, as it is in fact, we ſhould find it anſwering all theſe characters, and producing effects ſuitable to its nature. But I ſhall forbear this conſideration, it being as unneceſſary to tell the reader, that our play-houſe is in fact the ſink of corruption and debauchery; that it is the general rendezvous of the moſt profligate perſons of both ſexes; that it corrupts the air, and turns the adjacent places into public nuſances; this is as unneceſſary, as to tell him that the exchange is a place of merchandize.

Now it is to be obſerved, that this is not the ſtate of the play-houſe, through any accidental abuſe, as any innocent or good thing may be abuſed; but that corruption and debauchery are the truly natural and genuine effects of the ſtage entertainment. Let not therefore any one ſay, that he is not anſwerable for thoſe vices and debaucheries which are occaſioned by the play-houſe, for ſo far as he partakes of the pleaſure of the ſtage, and is an encourager of it, ſo far he is chargeable with thoſe diſorders which neceſſarily are occaſioned by it. If evil ariſes from our doing our duty, or our attendance at any good deſign, we are not to be frighted at it; but if evil ariſes from any thing as its natural and genuine effect, in all ſuch caſes, ſo far as we contribute to the cauſe, ſo far we make ourſelves guilty of the effects. So that all who any way aſſiſt the play-houſe, or ever encourage it by their preſence, make themſelves chargeable, in ſome degree, with all the evils and vices which follow from it. Since therefore it cannot be doubted by any one, whether the play-houſe be a nurſery of vice and debauchery, ſince the evil effects it has upon peoples manners is as viſible as the ſun at noon, one would imagine that all people of virtue and modeſty ſhould not only avoid it, but avoid it with the utmoſt abhorrence; that they ſhould be ſo far from from entering into it, that they ſhould deteſt the very ſight of it. For what a contradiction is it to common ſenſe, to hear a woman lamenting the miſerable lewdneſs and debauchery of the age, the vicious taſte and irregular pleaſures of the world, and at the ſame time dreſſing herſelf to meet the lewdeſt part of the world at the fountain-head of all lewdneſs, and making herſelf one of the crowd, where every abandoned wretch is glad to be preſent? She may fancy ſhe hates and abominates their vices, but ſhe may depend upon it, that till ſhe hates and abominates the place of vicious pleaſures; till ſhe dare not come near an entertainment, which is the cauſe of ſo great debauchery, and the pleaſure of the moſt debauched people; till ſhe is thus diſpoſed, ſhe wants the trueſt ſign of a real and religious abhorrence of the vices of the age.

A. P.

CHRISTIAN RUDOLPH, DYER,

In Sixth-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, Philadelphia, lately arrived from France, will engage to dye

SILK, Worſted or Cotton, either raw or manufactured, in the beſt Manner, with the greateſt Care and Diſpatch. He alſo has a particular Method of ſtamping Linens or Cottons in any Colours or Patterns, agreeable to his Employers, on the moſt reaſonable Terms. ¶

STOLEN out of the ſtable of PHILIP ANTHONY, in Lebanon, near the Old Union Furnace, in the Jerſeys, on the 16th of January laſt, a ſtrawberry roan horſe, with a blaze in his face, branded P A on the near thigh, betwixt 4 and 5 years old, 14 hands high, a natural pacer, and paces ve y faſt. Whoever takes up ſaid horſe, and brings him to the owner, ſhall have Four Dollars reward; and if horſe and thief Three Pounds, and reaſonable charges, paid by

PHILIP ANTHONY.

LONDON, December 18.

WE are informed, that the money arising from the intended improvements on the forfeited eſtates in Scotland, will be applied towards repairing the ſeveral fortifications in that kingdom, and for better encouraging the herring fiſhery.

They write from Liſbon, that an earthquake had lately happened at the iſlands of St. George and St. Michael, two of the Azores, in the latter of which great damage was done to the vineyards.

Letters from Madrid ſay, that the King of Spain has forbid all the preachers from mingling in their ſermons any thing relative to the preſent ſtate of affairs in that kingdom.

Other advices add, that by order of his Catholick Majeſty ſeveral perſons have been arreſted at Madrid, and that the ſtricteſt re-ſearches were making there after the authors of a ſeditious writing, which had been diſperſed a few days before.

We hear that a treaty of marriage is on foot, and will ſhortly be celebrated, between his Grace the Duke of Devonſhire, and the hon. Miſs Conway, daughter of the right hon. Henry Seymour Conway, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's principal ſecretaries of ſtate.

Mr. Connor, late an eminent ſhoemaker near Southampton-ſtreet in the ſtrand, is immediate heir at law to the effects and eſtate of the late Gen. Stanwix, who was unfortunately drowned in coming from Ireland, and has taken poſſeſſion of the ſame.

It is ſaid, that an enquiry will be made this ſeſſion of parliament, into the growth and progreſs of popery in this kingdom, of late years; and the moſt effectual means taken to prevent the farther increaſe of it.

The laſt advices from Berlin ſay, that his Pruſſian Majeſty has given orders for a body of his forces, to march directly towards the borders of Poland.

It is reported, that Edward Wortley Montagu, Eſq; own brother to the counteſs of Bute, will be appointed ambaſſador to the court of Ruſſia.

They write from Marſeilles, that two deputies from the Corſican nation had juſt arrived there in a French Tartane. They are chiefs of the iſland, and charged with a ſpecial commiſſion to the court of Verſailles.

They write from Rochford, that the Count de St. Florentine, a fine third rate man of war, nearly finiſhed, had, by ſome accident, taken fire, and was burnt down to the keel.

We hear the Morocco Ambaſſador has a commiſſion to treat with our court, for the entire ceſſion of the iſland of Fedal, on the coaſt of Africa, to his Majeſty.

Laſt Thurſday a bear, belonging to General Conway, in Pall-Mall, which was chained to a tree in the garden, ſlipt from his faſtening, climbed up to the top of the tree, which was a very high one, and from thence jumped on the houſe of an eminent taylor, next door, and ſtaring in at the garret-window, where a number of the croſs-legged gentry were at work, he frightened them all out of their humble poſition; however, being but a cub, he was ſecured without doing any miſchief.

We hear that a Board of Admiralty will, for the future, be held three times a week, for the quicker diſpatch of buſineſs.

At a meeting of the Royal Society laſt Thurſday, his Poliſh Majeſty was unanimouſly elected a member of the ſame.

We are informed, that a lady of quality loſt nineteen hundred guineas at the game of loo laſt Saturday.

An account of the number of his Majeſty's ſubjects inliſted, during the laſt ten years, for ſoldiers in the Eaſt-India Company's ſervice, is ordered to be laid before an auguſt aſſembly.

The following odd affair happened lately at a place in Hertfordſhire: A young lady being much indiſpoſed, ſent for an apothecary in the neighbourhood to attend her, but as he was engaged with a great number of patients ill of the ſmall-pox, and the lady never having had that diſtemper, a young clergyman of the ſame town, who paid his addreſſes to her, came to London in his poſt-chariot and four, and brought back with him an eminent phyſician, who ſpeedily reſtored her to her former health, and ſo eloquently pleaded his cauſe, that he ſoon after married the lady, leaving the clergyman in the lurch; ſhe was poſſeſſed of a fortune of 40,000l.

According to letters from Gibraltar, the Dey and Regency of Algiers, had flatly refuſed to acknowledge any ſum of money due to the Grand Seignor, in the name of tribute, and even uſed the Turkiſh officer very ill, who was ſent to demand it.

They write from Berlin, that his Pruſſian Majeſty had ordered a ſafe retreat in Sileſia, to ſuch proteſtant ſubjects of Poland, as may be obliged to leave their country on account of their religion.

A few days ago died, in Whitechapel, one Bowman, a penny barber, who had followed the profeſſion 37 years; on ſearching his apartment, money and ſecurities were found to the amount of nineteen hundred pounds.

His Serene Highneſs the Duke of Wurtemberg has ſtrictly prohibited any of his ſubjects from going out of his dominions to ſettle in foreign countries, great numbers having lately tranſported themſelves to the new Britiſh colonies in America.

Advice has been received, that General O'Hara, Governor of Senegambia, has erected a ſtrong fort at Arguin, which effectually ſecures the gum trade from any future encroachments of the French.

Dec. 20. 'Tis ſaid a marriage is propoſed between the reigning Prince of Waldec (nephew to the elector palatine) and the King's ſiſter.

We hear Rear Admiral Lord Colville will be appointed to the command of a ſquadron to be ſent to the Mediterranean.

It is ſaid, that the occaſion of a late negotiation between a noble D. and an E. having broke off without the deſired effect, was, that the former refuſed to coaleſce, unleſs the latter would diſcover to him his plan of operations, which his lordſhip not thinking it prudent to comply with, the treaty ended.

Yeſterday an expreſs arrived from Liſbon, ſaid to have brought propoſals for a new treaty of trade and commerce between the courts of England and Portugal.

Some of the laſt letters from Holland adviſe, that his Pruſſian Majeſty has iſſued orders for the officers of his troops, who were abſent upon leave, to join their reſpective regiments immediately, on pain of being broke, and rendered incapable of ſerving.

A letter from Warſaw, dated Nov. 24, *has this paſſage:* "*The ſeſſion of the* 19*th has been remarkable by the ſpeech of the Sieur Wielhorſki, who ſaid,* "*It was neceſſary to be upon their guard againſt neighbouring ſtates; againſt a mighty King (levelled at his Majeſty himſelf) againſt powerful citizens, ſuch as the commiſſioners of the treaſury; and that meaſures ought to be taken in conſequence, for which purpoſe (added the Sieur Wielhorſki) I have formed a project, with intention to remit it to the Marſhal of the Dyet.*" *The Biſhop of Cracovia ſeconded this propoſition, and the Marſhal of the Dyet at length accepted the project; but the reading of it was ſtopped.*"

According to divers advices by the laſt Holland mail, the affairs of Poland begin to wear a gloomy aſpect.

We are informed, that in a late council, it has been agreed to keep a larger number of men of war than cuſtomary on the coaſt of Africa, for the better protection of that trade.

Yeſterday the committee of Oporto Merchants waited on the Earl of Hillſborough, to expreſs their thanks for his Lordſhip's very great application and ſpirit ſhewn to the commercial affairs between this kingdom and Portugal, during his Lordſhip's being at the head of that honourable board.

By private letters from Liſbon, by the laſt packet, we are informed, that the Britiſh commerce in Portugal is almoſt entirely ruined, the Portugueſe miniſtry ſtill proceeding in the moſt arbitrary, infringing, and unjuſtifiable manner to the ſubjects of the crown of Great-Britain in that kingdom.

It is ſaid, an extenſive grant of land in Eaſt-Florida, will ſoon be made out, in the name of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland.

Some very intereſting advices are ſaid to have been this week received at the Secretary of State's office, from the Hon. Edward Hay, Eſq; his Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary at Liſbon, which have already been ſubmitted to a cabinet council.

An order is ſent from the Admiralty, to Chatham and Sheerneſs, for ſome ſhips of war to be fitted out there, for immediate ſervice.

We hear an order is ſent over to Ireland, for a regiment of foot on that eſtabliſhment, to be embarked at Cork for Nova-Scotia.

We are credibly informed, that the Hon. Eaſt-India Company will be required to pay four millions for renewing their charter, and for granting and confirming to them the entire property of all their late conqueſts in the Eaſt-Indies, in order to make good the vaſt expence the government has been at, in aſſiſting them with men, ſhips of war, &c. for many years paſt, by which they have been enabled to make theſe conqueſts.

On Wedneſday laſt, an order was received by the commiſſioners of the dock yards at Portſmouth, for ſome men of war and frigates to be fitted out for foreign ſervice, and an extra number of caulkers and riggers to be employed for the greater expedition.

Yeſterday there was a levee at St. James's, and afterwards a privy council, at which the two Secretaries of State, the Earl of Briſtol, and ſeveral other Lords of the privy council aſſiſted, which is ſaid to be on account of diſpatches received from the Lords Juſtices of Ireland.

On Monday morning arrived at the Secretary of State's office in Cleveland-row, from the court of Berlin, where he had been for ſix months paſt, Mr. Pollock, one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers, charged, it is ſaid, with diſpatches of great importance from his Excellency Sir Andrew Mitchell, his Majeſty's Ambaſſador at the Pruſſian court.

Letters by the laſt mail from Liſbon mention, that ſeveral thouſand muſkets, bayonets, &c. lately received from England, had been ſhipped on board a man of war in the Tagus, for the uſe of his moſt faithful Majeſty's forces in the Brazils.

Wedneſday a dragger took up, in the river at low water, a canvas bag, containing 750 *dollars, which had been loſt from on board an American ſhip at Horſlydown, about* 3 *weeks ago.*

Dec. 23. The ten thouſand pound prize, drawn on Friday laſt, is the property of a club of eighteen tradeſmen, meeting at Mr. Holden's, the Horns, in King John's court, Bermondſey, Southwark.

It is reported, that the court of Portugal hath conſented, on certain conditions, to the eſtabliſhment of an Engliſh factory in one of the ports of Brazil; and that a very beneficial plan of commerce to that kingdom, and her colonies, is under conſideration of our Miniſtry.

By letters received at Cadiz, there is advice, that a ſhock of an earthquake had been felt at Buenos Ayres, in South-America, and that the damage ſuſtained thereby had been very conſiderable.

They write from Leghorn, that two of Paoli's principal officers had been arreſted, on the diſcovery of their ſecretly carrying on a treaſonable correſpondence with the Genoeſe.

By a decree of the Emperor, bearing date the 20th of laſt month, the republic of Genoa is ordered to withdraw the garriſon which they had put into the imperial city of San-Remo; to demoliſh the fort they had built there, to reſtore the fines and penalties inflicted on the inhabitants, as well as the contributions that have been extorted from them; to return the charters and documents they have taken away; in a word, to repair all the acts of uſurpation and violence which they have exerciſed in that city, before the expiration of two months, under pain of an hundred golden marks for the firſt neglect, &c. &c. This decree has been diſpatched in form of letters-patent, together with a reſcript, addreſſed to the imperial commiſſary in Italy, to publiſh and proclaim it in all proper places; and the public are very impatient to ſee whether the ſenate of Genoa will think proper to conform to it; or, if not, whether his imperial Majeſty will have recourſe to means of conſtraint.

Letters from Madrid adviſe, that the King of Spain has cauſed ſeveral ſuſpected Jeſuits to be arreſted in that capital; but that the affair is managed with great ſecrecy.

It is ſaid, that in order to prevent the further increaſe of luxury and licentiouſneſs in this kingdom, a bill for a ſumptuary law will be brought into parliament, and ſtrongly ſupported this ſeſſion.

It is ſaid, that ſome men of war and frigates are ſoon to be ſent out under a Commodore, to cruize on the coaſt of Brazil in America.

It is reported that the Right Hon. Lord George Lenox, Brother to the Duke of Richmond, will be ſent Ambaſſador to Portugal, with plenipotentiary powers to ſettle all differences at preſent ſubſiſting between the two Crowns.

Edinburgh, Dec. 6. By letters from Ayr we have account, that early laſt Wedneſday morning, a fire broke out in that place, which conſumed ſeveral houſes. The flames communicated themſelves to a building where was depoſited a conſiderable quantity of gunpowder; when by the terrible exploſion of ſome caſks of the powder, a few perſons were inſtantly killed and buried in the ruins, and ſeveral others ſo miſerably ſcorched and wounded, that their recovery is much doubted of.

Briſtol, Dec. 20. A Letter from Wales informs us of the dreadful Inundation of the River Uſk, the latter End of November, by which vaſt numbers of Cattle of all kinds, Stacks of Hay, and Ricks of Corn, were waſhed away, and ſeveral Farmers thereby utterly ruined. The Waters were up to the firſt Stories of their Houſes. At New-Caſtle, in Cardiganſhire, the Bridge and 3 or 4 Houſes were entirely deſtroyed.

Whitehall, Dec. 23. The King has been pleaſed to grant unto his Grace Harry Duke of Bolton, the Offices of Governor and Captain of the Iſle of Wight, and the Governor of Cariſbrook Caſtle, and of Conſtable and Door-keeper of the ſaid Caſtle of Cariſbrook, and of Steward, Surveyor, Receiver and Bailiff of all Manors, Lands, Tenements, Woods, Hereditaments, and other Revenues, within the ſaid Iſland, in the room of the Right Honourable Hans Stanley, Eſq;

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Charles Earl Cornwallis, the Offices of Warden, Chief Juſtice, and Juſtice in Eyre, of all Foreſts, Chaſes, Parks, and Warrens, on this Side Trent, in the room of the Right Honourable John Lord Monſon.

The King has been pleaſed to nominate, conſtitute and appoint the Honourable Archibald Campbell Fraſer, Agent and Conſul General at Algier, in the room of Robert Kirke, Eſq;

By Captain MASON, *from South-Carolina, we have the following Advices, viz.*

LONDON, *December* 23.

THEY adviſe from Peterſburgh, that a very briſk trade is now carried on from that city, by land and water carriage, to Aſtracan, on the river Wolga, chiefly conducted by Engliſh merchants.

This day the Colony Agents preſented ſeveral petitions to the Board of Trade; and, we hear, the ſame are ſoon to be laid before an auguſt Aſſembly.

Dec. 25. Governor Palliſer has preſented to the miniſtry a plan for building a new town on the Iſle of Bois, on the Labradore coaſt, which, it is thought, will be carried into execution the enſuing ſummer.

We are told that, by certain advices from France, the French court are ſo ſure of a war, now Lord Chatham has the ſole direction of our affairs, that they have ſent orders, together with large ſums of money, to all their ſeveral ſea-ports, to prepare and fit for ſea all the ſhips they poſſibly can, with the greateſt expedition.

Thurſday his Grace the Duke of Bedford arrived from Wooburn Abbey, in Bedfordſhire, at his Grace's houſe in Bloomſbury-ſquare. It is ſaid that he is come to town upon buſineſs of great importance, with reſpect to ſome approaching changes in the adminiſtration.

The new arrangement is ſettled; the Earl of Northington retires; the Earl of Chatham, as miniſter, takes the preſidentſhip of the council, which will reſtore that board to its conſtitutional importance; Earl Gower is to be Lord privy ſeal; Earl of Hillſborough to be firſt Lord of the admiralty; Sir Edward Hawke to be created a peer; Lord Weymouth to be joint poſt-maſter; General Conway goes to the military line; Charles Townſhend, Eſq; to be ſecretary of ſtate; Lord North to be chancellor of the exchequer; and Richard Rigby, Eſq; to be joint paymaſter. This will eſtabliſh a firm, able, and laſting adminiſtration.

Extract of a letter from Cephalonia, (a conſiderable iſland of Greece, belonging to the Venetians) dated Oct. 18.

"On the 31ſt of May laſt we had a moſt furious hurricane, accompanied with hail, as large as nuts, which ſeemed to threaten the total deſtruction of the iſland. All the ſteeples of the churches were blown down, the largeſt olive-trees, as well as all other ſorts of trees, torn up by the roots; country-houſes and vine-yards, &c. carried away, and the roofs were blown about in the air like leaves of trees. The ſea, which is always calm in the port of Argoſtoli, ſwelled at this time to ſuch a degree, that the waves ran over the higheſt mountains; and as they began to overflow the town, our terror was inexpreſſible. We all thought ourſelves on the brink of periſhing, without any poſſibility of ſuccour. Four oxen, uſually employed in labour, and which were then grazing in the plains of Lixuri, about two miles from the ſea, were waſhed away, and we were afterwards greatly ſurpriſed to find them on the ſhore of Argoſtoli, one of them ſtill alive, the three others dead. This fatal hurricane continued 15 minutes.

"On the 24th of July we felt a violent ſhock of the earth, which laſted three minutes, and was followed the ſame day by three other ſlight ſhocks. The land has continued in motion for fifty days, and we ſtill often feel pretty conſiderable ſhocks. Many houſes have been thrown down, and the reſt are nearly all damaged; ſo that we are obliged to lie in the open fields. The ſhocks have been general throughout the iſland, as well in the plains as the mountains; and about 20 perſons have periſhed."

An Amneſty has been publiſhed, by order of his Pruſſian Majeſty, for all deſerters to join their reſpective regiments.

We hear that laſt week the Pruſſian ambaſſador received three different packets from Berlin, which occaſioned divers conferences between his excellency and the ſecretaries of ſtate.

Laſt week ſailed from the Downs, Thomas Woolridge, Eſqi with 50 ſettlers and artificers for Eaſt-Florida: This makes the fourth veſſel that hath ſailed with ſettlers for that colony within the laſt ſix weeks.

Dec 29. On Saturday evening the Earl of Shelburne, and the Right Honourable Henry Seymour Conway, his Majeſty's Secretaries of State, arrived in town, and were yeſterday at court.

His Poliſh Majeſty, in a ſpeech lately made in full dyet, addreſſing himſelf to the Prince Straznick de Lubomirſky (juſt appointed Grand Marſhal of the Crown) ſaid, "Though called to the miniſtry by the nation, and by me; though your intentions are good, and you really do what is right; yet, Prince! you will meet with difficulties, contradictions, and ill-will. Be prepared fot it; it is the fate attending high ſtations; kings are not exempted. The moſt toilſome cares, the moſt uſeful projects, are often miſapprehended, miſinterpreted."

They write from Peterſburgh, that the chief attention of their miniſtry turns at preſent on the affairs concerning the Greeks, and other proteſtants of Poland.

Dec. 30. With regard to the many impertinent ſuggeſtions concerning a change in the adminiſtration, we have to ſay, upon good information, that there may be ſome alterations from party and family connections, but there is no probability of any of the chiefs of the preſent adminiſtration quitting their employments.

Jan. 1. Letters from Madrid, of the 28th of November, adviſe, that his Catholic Majeſty, in order to promote the trade and welfare of his ſubjects, has taken off all duties upon corn imported into Spain from foreign countries, for the ſpace of two years.

We hear that Lord Clive hath been requeſted, by the Eaſt-India Company, to remain in India two years longer.

They write from Scotland, that the public waits with the greateſt impatience and anxiety the determination of the great cauſe of DOUGLASS, the greateſt and moſt extraordinary queſtion that ever came before any judicature. It is finally to be determined in Scotland on the 27th of January next, by the Lords Judges of Council and Seſſion; and it is expected that there will be a greater multitude aſſembled that day, than ever has been known on a like occaſion.

Charles-Town, South-Carolina, February 24.

Laſt Thurſday a Ship arrived here from Ireland, with about 230 Proteſtant Settlers, encouraged by the large Bounty given by this Province, and the Succeſs their Countrymen have met with in their ſeveral Settlements here.

Since the firſt of November laſt to the 20th Inſtant, there hath been exported from this Port, 45,827 Barrels of Rice; 152,700 lb. of Indico; 36,210 lb. of Hemp; 2,473 Barrels of Pitch; 1026 ditto of Turpentine; and 261 ditto of Tar.

BOSTON, February 23.

We hear that John Gardiner, Eſq; (eldeſt Son of Sylveſter Gardiner, Eſq; of this Town) an eminent Lawyer in England, is appointed Chief Juſtice of the Province of New-York.

By Letters from the Weſt-Indies, laſt Week, we hear there are plentiful Crops, eſpecially in Antigua, the like was never known.

WILLIAMSBURG, February 12.

The Randolph, Captain Walker, in ſix Weeks from London, is arrived at Hampton.

Both Parties voted for addreſſing the KING.

But this maintained, and this oppoſed,

The LEGALITY *of the Embargo on the Exportation of Corn.*

Lord SPENCER,	Lord SUFFOLK,
Lord HILLSBOROUGH,	Lord TEMPLE,
Lord BOTETOURT,	Lord LYTTLETON,
Lord SHELBURNE,	Lord MANSFIELD,
Lord CHATHAM,	Duke of BEDFORD,
Lord NORTHINGTON,	Duke of RICHMOND,
Lord CHANCELLOR,	Lord BUCKINGHAMSHIRE,
Duke of GRAFTON,	Lord RAVENSWORTH.

Mr. *RIND*,

The above Liſt I received by Captain Walker, exhibiting the Diſputants on each Side, in the Houſe of Lords, in the Debate on the Legality of the King's laying an Embargo on the Exportation of Corn. It will probably be acceptable to your Readers. Lord SHELBURNE acquired great Honour in the Debate, and the Lord Chancellor CAMDEN overcame Lord MANSFIELD.

ANNAPOLIS, *February* 26.

Extract of a Letter from a Merchant in London, dated the 19*th of November laſt.*

"The real or artificial Scarcity of Corn having raiſed a great Clamour, and drove the Needy or Diſſolute into Riots, Lord Chatham adviſed the laying an Embargo on the Exportation of Corn. This is made a Pretence for the Oppoſition to throw a Slur on the Miniſtry; but as the Meaſure was prudent, and even neceſſary, they did not venture to cenſure it, but ſaid they thought an Act to indemnify the Adviſers was proper; as the Prerogative was, as they ſaid, illegally exerciſed. This was a Cut Throat Favour, and was rejected with a contemptuous Superiority. The Miniſtry hinted to the Oppoſition, the Meanneſs of their Motives to this falſe Kindneſs, inſiſted on the Legality and Neceſſity of their Conduct, and declared they would not have an Act to indemnify them: And they would ſcorn to receive this Favour, at the Motion of thoſe Men, who thought they ſtood in no Need of the like Security in the Caſe of General-Warrants, which had violated the Letter and Spirit of the Conſtitution, in the Senſe of the Courts of Law, of both Houſes of Parliament, and every honeſt Man in the Kingdom."

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.

Captain Parker, from Dublin, on the 20th of January, in

Lat. 30: 32, Long. 18: 40, ſpoke a Schooner, Captain Singleton, from Cadiz, bound to Boſton, who had ſprung his Boom, but had got it fiſhed. And on the 26th ult. in Lat. 33: 50, Long. 72, ſpoke a Snow, Captain Robinſon, from Georgia for Liverpool, out four Days, all well.

Since our laſt Captain Lowther (mentioned in our laſt to be loſt on Maguana) came to Town Via New-York, by whom we are informed that, with the greateſt Difficulty, he, and one William Willis, were the only Perſons on board who ſaved themſelves, by ſwimming aſhore; and that a young Lad, the Captain's Son, James Alexander the Mate, and two Sailors, Archibald Caldwell, and James Caſſwell, were all drowned.

We are informed, by one of our Pilots from Cape May, that laſt Monday ſe'nnight, a Brig from Sea got into the Road, but a very hard North-Weſter coming on, it was imagined ſhe parted her Cables, as the next Morning ſhe was ſeen lying to, under Cape-May, and afterwards drove away to the Southward.

On the Fourth Inſtant, at Night, Peter Dalbo, and another Man, in a Wood Flat, with an antient Woman, of the Name of Kerr, a Paſſenger, ſet off for Philadelphia from Raccoon Creek; but the Wind blowing very hard, they put back again into the Creek, when the Stern of the Veſſel touching the Ground, ſhe ſwang round, filled and ſunk; by which Dalbo and the Woman were drowned; but the other Man was ſaved by ſticking to the Shrouds, till ſome People came to his Aſſiſtance. The Woman was found in the Cabbin; the Man on the Shore, near the Veſſel.

The ſame Night, we hear, two Negroe Men, who had been to Mill at Brandywine, in an open Boat, attempting to get home again, were blown out of Chriſtine Creek, and drove over to the Jerſey Side, near Kearney's Landing, where they were both drowned, and their Bodies found on the Shore.

Laſt Week was killed here by John George, Butcher, the largeſt and fatteſt Ox that has been ſeen in this Province, or perhaps on the Continent. His whole Weight was 2433 lb. the Beef alone 1616 lb. He was raiſed by James Bratton, in New-Caſtle County, ſeven Years old, and coſt Fifty Pounds.

Arrived. Captain Spain, at Belfaſt; and the Captains Cutter and Walker, at Charles-Town, in South-Carolina, all from this Port.---Captain Stanwood, from Boſton, is likewiſe arrived at Charles-Town.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig James, J. Johnſton, from Grenades. Brig Betſy, Z. Hutchins, and Schooner Royal Sally, W. Barber, Virginia. Brig Globe, W. Parker, Dublin. Brig Prince of Wales, T. Maſon, S. Carolina. Sloop Dolphin, R. Havens, New-York.

OUTWARDS. Schooner Polly, R. Moore, for St. Kitts. Ship Rachel, W. Hardcaſtle, Jamaica. Ship New Hope, W. Waſdell, Barcelona. Ship Tryal, T. Moore, Dominica. Schooner Priſcilla, J. Shaw, Halifax. Brig Induſtry, T. Spence, Grenades.

CLEARRD. Brig Hermione, T. Dobſon, to Genoa. Snow Muggy, B. Alliſon, Antigua. Ship Juno, W. Wilkinſon, S. Carolina. Brig Spry, D. M'Crahan, Barcelona. Schooner Sally and Jenny, S. Davidſon, New-Providence. Brig Carpenter, C. Jenkins, St. Euſtatia.

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By *SAMUEL SMITH*.

ALL perſons indebted to GEORGE FULLERTON, whoſe accounts are above twelve months unpaid, as well as thoſe indebted to him by bond, bill or note, are requeſted to diſcharge the ſame before the firſt of May next, otherwiſe they may expect to be ſued, without reſpect of perſons. † 6 W.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Meſſieurs George and John Kidd (late of this City Shop-keepers) are once more deſired ſpeedily to pay their reſpective Accounts to the Subſcribers (Truſtees in behalf of the Creditors) As there is an immediate Neceſſity for ſettling their Affairs, it is hoped this Notice will be looked on as final; therefore all Perſons whoſe Accounts don't exceed Five Pounds, may depend on their being put into a Magiſtrate's Hand, if not diſcharged in ten Days from this Date, and all others put in ſuit after one Month.

MURRAY and BLAIR, MEASE and MILLER, JAMES STUART, THOMAS DICAS. †

TO be SOLD or LETT, and may be entered on the firſt of April next, by the ſubſcriber, living near Philadelphia, in the townſhip of Blockley, two tracts of land, containing 155 acres, with allowance, adjoining each other, the land being in the Great Valley, and adjoining the lands of Iſaac Davis, Eſq; of Trediffryn, and the widow Chriſty, about 20 miles from Philadelphia, 80 acres cleared, part of which is very good meadow, the up-land for the moſt part newly limed, the other well timbered; there are on ſaid land, one ſtone dwelling-houſe, two rooms on a floor, one log-houſe, two rooms on a floor, and another log-houſe adjoining it, a good barn and ſtables, and other out-houſes, a good bearing orchard, a lime kiln, with an extraordinary quarry of the beſt of lime ſtone, and very eaſily got; there is a very good conveniency for building a mill, or any other water works, the Valley Creek runs through the land, which is a never failing ſtream. Any perſon or perſons inclining to purchaſe the whole, or part thereof, may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, who will make an indiſputable title.

JOSEPH MITCHELL.

TO be SOLD by public vendue, on Monday, the 30th of this inſtant March, by the ſubſcriber, in the Great Valley, all his ſtock, conſiſting of good riding and working horſes, breeding mares, 2 year old colts, milch cows, young cattle, ſheep, ſwine; likewiſe houſhold-furniture, implements of huſbandry, corn in the ground, and cyder with the caſk. The vendue to begin at 11 o'clock. Nine months credit, and proper attendance, will be given by WILLIAM CURRIE.

N. B. He has two able bodied Negroe men to diſpoſe of, and a Negroe woman, compleat hands on a farm; the man and his wife are 33 years of age each, and the other is 50.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, the 28th of February, living in Pine-ſtreet, near the New-market, a ſervant woman, named Judith Bolton, it is likely ſhe will change her name to Philips, as ſhe told ſeveral that was her name; ſhe is a little ſhort woman, ſtoops much in her ſhoulders, has fair hair, large full eyes, a ſort of hazel colour; ſhe had on, when ſhe went away, an old long camblet cloak, faced before with old green ſhalloon, and has a large hole burnt in the bottom, juſt at the back ſeam, a lincey petticoat, with brown, white, blue red and yellow ſtripes in it, an old country cloth jacket, patched under the arms, a blue and white bird-eyed cotton handkerchief, a pair of leather ſhoes, trod very much aſide. She pretends to be a great fortune-teller, is a very hard drinker, and has been many years in the army with the ſoldiers. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and brings her home, or ſecures her in any goal, ſo that ſhe may be had again, ſhall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward, beſides reaſonable charges, paid by me

¶ ELIZABETH ROBERTSON.

WAS STOLEN, out of the entry of Charles Moore, in Market-ſtreet, on the 28th of February, a light coloured ſhort Cloak, and a black Sattin Hood-Bonnet. Whoever ſecures the thief, ſo that he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, or Twenty Shillings for the cloak and bonnet, paid by CHARLES MOORE.

TO be SOLD, by public vendue, at the London Coffee-Houſe, the latter end of March, or the beginning of April (the public to be hereafter notified of the particular time) the SQUARE OF GROUND *where the Alms-Houſe ſtands, divided into building lots; a plan of which ſhall be exhibited at the ſaid Coffee-Houſe, and John Biddle's. The terms of payment are as follow; one fourth to be paid at ſigning the deed, another fourth in ſix months, and the remainder in one year from the time of ſale, without intereſt; or the laſt payment to be changed into a ground-rent, equal to intereſt of money, redeemable at any time within ſeven years from the ſale aforeſaid.*

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Monday, the 30th day of this inſtant March, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be ſold by vendue, on the premiſes, a meſſuage and plantation, with about 107 acres of good land thereunto belonging, ſituate in Charleſtown townſhip, in the county of Cheſter, bounded by lands of Joel Martin, Alexander Balla, Amos Jones, and others; there is a good houſe and barn, and a good bearing orchard thereon, a valuable quantity of meadow ground, &c. late the eſtate of Samuel Martin, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

N. B. There is a crop of wheat in the ground on the premiſes, to be ſold at ſaid time.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Monday, the 30th day of this inſtant March, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be ſold by vendue, on the premiſes, a ſtone meſſuage and plantation, with about 38 acres of land thereunto belonging, on which ſome good meadow may be made, ſituate in Charleſtown, in the county of Cheſter; bounded by lands of Samuel Harvey, Daniel John, Iſaac David, and others; there are alſo two ſtacks of hay, and a crop of wheat in the ground on the premiſes, to be ſold on ſaid day, being late the eſtate and effects of Amos Jones, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Tueſday, the 31ſt day of this inſtant March, at 10 o'clock in the morning, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage and plantation, with about 175 acres of land thereunto belonging, having a barn and good orchard thereon, and ſome meadow ground, ſituate in Charleſtown townſhip, in the county of Cheſter, bounded by lands of Thomas James, Thomas Howell, vacant land, and other land of Pergrine, deceaſed, late the eſtate of Thomas Pergrine, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of levari facias to me directed, on Tueſday, the 31ſt day of this inſtant March, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be ſold by vendue, on the premiſes, a certain meſſuage and plantation, with about 92 acres of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in Charleſtown townſhip, in the county of Cheſter, on which there is a good houſe, ſtone barn, an orchard, and ſome good meadow ground, bounded by lands of Peter Mather, deceaſed, Andrew Turk, Thomas David, &c. late the eſtate of Thomas Pergrine deceaſed, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of levari facias to me directed, on Wedneſday, the firſt day of April next, will be ſold by vendue, on the premiſes, at 10 o'clock in the morning, a certain meſſuage or tenement, with about 176 acres of moſtly woodland thereunto belonging, ſituate in Tredyfryn, in the ſaid county, bounded by lands of Henry John, the line of the manor of Bilton, and other lands of Thomas John deceaſed, late the eſtate of the ſaid Thomas John, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Wedneſday, the firſt day of April next, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage and tenement, and about 100 acres of excellent good land thereunto belonging, on which is plenty of good lime ſtone, ſituate in the Great Valley, in Tredyfryn, in the county of Cheſter, bounded by lands of John Havard, Iſaac Davis, Eſq; Nathan Evans, and other land of Thomas John deceaſed; late the eſtate of ſaid Thomas John, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Thurſday, the 2d day of April next, about 10 o'clock in the morning, on the premiſes herein mentioned, will be ſold by vendue, horſes and cattle, implements of huſbandry, wheat in the ground, and variety of houſhold furniture, and other things, too tedious to inſert. As alſo a certain meſſuage and plantation, and about 150 acres of land thereunto belonging, a barn and other buildings thereon, ſituate in the townſhip of Eaſt Bradford, bounded by lands of John Lewis, Abel Griffith, Suſanna Liggett, and others; late the eſtate of John Huggins, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Friday, the 3d day of April next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain piece or parcel of good land, ſituate in the townſhip of Thornberry, in the county of Cheſter, containing 49 acres and an half, bounded by lands of John Briggs, and other lands of Thomas Yarnall deceaſed, late the eſtate of the ſaid Yarnall, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, ſheriff,

TO BE SOLD,

A *NEGROE BOY*, 14 *years old. Likewiſe a MULATTOE GIRL*, 11 *years of age Enquire at Captain* GORDON'S, *in Arch-ſtreet, oppoſite the Church burying-ground.* *

HANNAH BEALES,

In Fourth-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets,

CONTINUES to carry on the buſineſs of Net-making, in the houſe where her father John Beales lately followed that buſineſs. She begs the favour of her father's cuſtomers to employ her, as ſhe will uſe the utmoſt care to give them ſatisfaction, and will engage to ſupply any perſon with ſeines, horſe nets, pidgeon nets, minny nets, caſting nets, billiard table pockets, fowling bags, and nets of every ſort, equal to any made in this city, on the moſt reaſonable terms. ¶

N. B. She has a very good violin to diſpoſe of.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN out of the ſtable of the ſubſcriber, living in the townſhip of Horſham, in the county of Philadelphia, on the 5th inſtant at night, a valuable black gelding, ſix years old this graſs, about 15 hands high, ſhod round, paces and trots, heavy bodied, a ſmall nick in the near ear, and ſome ſmall ſaddle ſpots on his back, his mane hangs on both ſides of his neck, and cropt under the bridle, and his tail bobbed ſhort. Any perſon ſecuring the ſaid horſe, ſo that the owner ſhall have him again, may have Three Pounds reward, and if the thief is taken, and brought to juſtice, Forty Shillings more, and reaſonable charges, paid by ¶ CHARLES MULLEN.

To be SOLD by

SAMUEL MILES,

At his houſe in Second-ſtreet, and at the houſe of John Wiſter, in Market-ſtreet,

A PARCEL of choice old Liſbon wine in quarter caſks, Madeira, Teneriffe and Fyall wine, by the pipe, hogſhead and quarter caſk, and Mountain wine in quarter caſks. Alſo Weſt-India and Philadelphia rum, muſcovado and loaf ſugar, &c. &c. ¶

The Subſcriber deſires to inform the PUBLIC,

THAT ſeveral perſons incline to become purchaſers of a plantation he advertiſed ſome weeks paſt in this paper, if he would divide the ſame into ſmall lots; he therefore thinks proper to put the ſale off till the 28th of this inſtant, when the following lots will be ſold, at ſix o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, viz. No. 1, containing about 5 or 6 acres of good land, 2 and a half of the ſame is meadow, with a good new two ſtory frame houſe, two rooms on a floor, and a new barn and orchard. No. 2 contains about 4 acres, two acres meadow, the reſt garden and orchard, with a frame houſe, and four large aſparagus beds. No. 3 contains about 6 acres of good up-land. No. 4 contains about the ſame quantity. One half of the money to be paid down, the reſt in a year after, with intereſt. A plan of the whole may be ſeen at the London Coffee-Houſe, or on the premiſes, about two miles from this city, adjoining Robert Smith's plantation, on the five mile round road. For further particulars enquire of the ſubſcriber, living at the upper end of Front-ſtreet, oppoſite John Philips's rope-walk.

JAMES LOWNES.

N. B. Alſo a lot of drained meadow, containing about 4 acres, ſituate on Greenwich Iſland, to be ſold by private ſale. Enquire of JOHN or JOSEPH LOWNES. ¶

TO be SOLD, by way of publick vendue, on Monday, the 30th day of this inſtant March, at ten o'clock, a valuable lot of ground, ſituated near the middle of Germantown, containing about 10 acres of good land, part thereof meadow, and being riſing ground, would afford a delightful proſpect for a gentleman's country ſeat, with a ſtone meſſuage, and a good two ſtory ſtone brew-houſe on the ſame, adjoining the main ſtreet of Germantown, with all the implements of brewing thereunto belonging; ſaid brew-houſe may readily be made into a dwelling-houſe; there is on the premiſes a good new ſtone barn, a good orchard, with about 150 thriving apple-trees, chiefly pippins, two good gardens near the houſe, and a never failing draw-well near the door, the whole being under a pretty good repair. Likewiſe one lot of ground, containing about 9 acres, joining the land of Theobald Boyer, and Benjamin Engle deceaſed, and fronting Pickes's Lane for near thirty perches. Alſo one lot, containing 9 acres, 3 thereof good meadow ground, and 3 acres of wood-land, with a remarkable ſpring on the ſame, being under good fence, about one mile from Germantown Main-ſtreet, fronting ſaid Pickes's Lane. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the whole, or part, before the time of ſale, may apply to the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, where due attendance will be given, as well as at the time of ſale, by ‖ 1 W. JACOB TROUT.

By AUTHORITY,

By the AMERICAN COMPANY,

At the new THEATRE, in Southwark, on Saturday the 14th day of March, will be preſented, a COMEDY, called,

LOVE makes a MAN,

Or, The FOP's FORTUNE.

Clodio, alias Don Diſmallo Thickſkulle De Half Witto, by Mr. HALLAM.
Carlos, by Mr. DOUGLASS.
Don Lewis, alias Don Cholerick Snapſhorto de Teſte, by Mr. MORRIS.
Antonio, by Mr. ALLYN.
Charino, by Mr. TOMLINSON.
Don Duart, by Mr. WALL.
Governor, by Mr. GRAVILLE.
Monſieur, by Mr. GODWIN.
Prieſt, by Mr. WOOLLS.
Page, by Miſs DOWTHWAIT.
Lawyer, by Mr. PLATT.
Louiſa, by Mrs. DOUGLASS.
Elvira, by Miſs WAINWRIGHT.
Honoria, by Mrs. WALL.
Angelina, by Miſs CHEER.

With ENTERTAINMENTS, viz.

Singing by Mr. WOOLLS, and Miſs WAINWRIGHT.
Dancing by Mr. MATTHEWS, and Mr. GODWIN.

To which will be added a Farce called,

The DUCE is in HIM.

Colonel Tamper, by Mr. HALLAM.
Major Belford, by Mr. DOUGLASS.
Pſattle, with the Prologue, by Mr. WALL.
Mademoiſelle Florival, by Mrs. HARMAN.
Bell, by Miſs WAINWRIGHT.
Emily, by Miſs HALLAM.

To begin exactly at Six o'Clock.----*Vivant Rex & Regina.*

No Perſons can, on any Pretence whatſoever, be admitted behind the Scenes.----Tickets are ſold at the London Coffee-Houſe, at Mr. Francis's, at the Queen's Head, in Water-ſtreet, at Mr. George Hawkins's, in Walnut-ſtreet, and at Mrs. Scott's, in Lombard-ſtreet, where Places for the Boxes may be taken.----Ladies and Gentlemen will pleaſe to ſend their Servants at Four o'Clock, to keep their Places in the Boxes.----BOXES 7s. 6d. PIT 5s. GALLERY 3s.

For CHARLESTOWN, SOUTH-CAROLINA.

The BRIG
PRINCE of WALES,
THOMAS MASON,
MASTER;

Is now ready to take Goods on board, & will ſail as ſoon as poſſible. For Freight or Paſſage apply to Captain GEORGE NOARTH, ALEXANDER LUNAN, or ſaid Maſter, at Mr. Clifford's Wharff.

A FIRE ENGINE, with a Suction Pipe,

MADE by NUTTALL, of London, that will diſcharge 170 gallons in a minute, the diſtance of 50 yards, and may be worked either by the ſuction pipe, when near a river or pond, or by the ciſtern, in the uſual way, lately imported, and

TO BE SOLD,

on no other account, than its being too large for the uſe of Burlington, but would ſuit Philadelphia, or any other populous place. For terms apply to DANIEL ELLIS, Eſq; RICHARD WELLS, or WILLIAM DILLWYN, in Burlington.

N. B. They would take a ſmaller one in exchange, if nearly new, and in good order. Propoſals either to purchaſe or exchange will be duly anſwered.

TO be SOLD on the 25th of this inſtant March, by publick vendue, a tenement and lot of land, ſituate in Moreland, on the Old York Road, where the Durham Road branches out, at the ſign of the Red Lion, about 14 miles from Philadelphia, containing 10 acres, with a good ſtone houſe and kitchen, out-houſes and ſtables, and a good orchard and garden thereon; the which has been a licenſed tavern for many years paſt, very conveniently ſituated for cuſtom in that buſineſs; together with three other pieces of land nearly adjoining the aforeſaid lot; one containing 33 acres and a half, the half of it meadow ground; another contains about 5 acres, which is good meadow; the third piece contains 50 acres, the greateſt part good woodland, the whole in good repair; the title indiſputable; it will be ſold altogether, or apart, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer, and may be entered upon immediately after ſale; where alſo will be ſold, corn in the ground, cattle and houſhold furniture. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, who, by long ſickneſs in his family, finds himſelf uncapable to give ſuch attendance as a publick houſe of entertainment neceſſarily requires. The ſale to begin at 10 o'clock, where attendance, and reaſonable credit, will be given. JOHN M'GLAUGHLIN. *

PURSUANT to the last will and testament of John Fairlamb, Esq; deceased, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at Robert Hall's, the sign of the Buck, in Concord township, Chester county, on Thursday, the second day of April next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, two full equal and undivided sixth parts, of the eastermost moiety or half part of a certain messuage or tenement, plantation and tract of 200 acres of land, situate in Concord aforesaid, formerly belonging to Joseph Nicklin, deceased. Attendance will be given, and the conditions made known, by the under-written executors,

HENRY HALE GRAHAM, FREDERICK FAIRLAMB.

N. B. All persons indebted to the said deceased's estate, are once more requested to pay to prevent trouble; and those who have any demands, are desired to be expeditious in calling on the said executors, as the time for a final settlement draws near. §

TO be SOLD, by way of public vendue, on Wednesday, the first day of April, a Plantation, containing 111 acres and a half of land, 50 acres of clear plow land, 10 acres of meadow, and the most part good land; a new house, partly finished, 41 feet front, 25 feet deep, a cellar under the whole; there are five fire-places, three rooms below, and three above, an entry through the house, a kitchen 15 feet square, a barn 20 feet front, and 30 feet deep, a good stone well, garden, and young orchard. There has been a tavern kept there these 7 years; it lies in Maidenhead, one mile and a half from Trenton, on the post road leading from Philadelphia to New-York. The plantation to be paid for in three yearly payments, though the buyer may have longer time, on paying Interest, and giving good security. There will likewise be sold two horses, beds and bedding, many other kinds of houshold furniture, and farming utensils, and the winter crop in the ground. If the plantation is not sold, it will be lett on the aforesaid day, when due attendance will be given, by

* JAMES HANKINSON, and KENNETH HANKINSON.

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, situated in the townships of West Bradford, in the county of Chester, containing 224 acres of land, 15 whereof well watered meadow, and as much more may, with small expence, be made. On the premises are a good house, barn, orchard, and a site for a fulling or grist mill. Also one other plantation, situate in the township of New Providence, in the county of Philadelphia, containing 121 acres of land, 70 of which are cleared, 6 meadow, and the remainder well timbered. On this land is a good stone house, and a thriving orchard. For title and terms, apply to the subscriber, in West Bradford aforesaid, JAMES SKEEN, in New Providence aforesaid, or JOHN EDWARDS, in Philadelphia.

§ THOMAS GREEN.

TO BE SOLD,

ABOUT 500 acres of land, known by the name of the COLD SPRING LAND, situate in the township of Oxford, in the county of Sussex, New-Jersey, about two miles from Delaware, and three or four from Oxford-furnace, in the neighbourhood of several other iron-works and mills, and in a country, of late years, very much improved; adjoins land formerly surveyed to Samuel Atkinson, Joseph Hull, John Reading, and others. There is a log dwelling-house, and other buildings, on the said land, a considerable part of it cleared, and in fence, some meadow made, and more may be added. The tract is part of a survey made to Thomas Boulby, in the year 1729, and part of the estate of Paul Watkins, of Burlington, some years since deceased, for the use of whose heirs in England it is directed to be sold. For terms of sale, or information respecting the title, please to apply to the subscribers, in the city of Burlington, or if inclined to view the lines, to JAMES HAYES, living on Scott's Mountain, near the premises.

JOHN HOSKINS, DANIEL SMITH, junior.

To be SOLD,

AT publick vendue, on Friday, the 20th day of March instant, a valuable plantation, situate in the Hundred and county of New-Castle, on Delaware, containing 145 acres, more or less, bounded on the west by the provincial road leading from Pennsylvania to Maryland, and on the east by the river Delaware, on which is a good brick house, a log barn, 8 acres of improved marsh, and 15 acres unimproved; the whole under easy circumstances of banking. A breviate of the title, and the terms of sale, will be shewn at one o'clock on said day, on the premises; where attendance will be given by

¶ ROBERT BRYAN.

TO be SOLD by publick vendue, by the subscriber, in Providence township, Philadelphia county, on the 28th day of this instant March, a valuable plantation and tract of land, situate in the said township, adjoining the river Schuylkill, containing about 210 acres, whereon are erected a dwelling-house, barn and stables, upwards of thirty acres of meadow already made, and in good order, great part thereof watered, and the remainder may be watered with very little expence, and about fifteen acres of meadow may yet be made; the whole plantation well watered. Also one other plantation adjoining the aforesaid, containing about 60 acres, whereon are a dwelling-house, barn and stables, about 8 acres of meadow, some part thereof remarkably good; very suitable for a tradesman, it being divided from the other tract by a great road; to be sold together or separate, as may best suit the purchaser. The conditions will be made known at the time and place of sale. † SAMUEL RICHARDSON.

N. B. The said plantations are within a few miles of several forges, merchant mills, and Worship-houses of various denominations. †

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, containing 340 acres of land, situate on the river Delaware, in Gloucester county, in the province of West New-Jersey, within 20 miles of Philadelphia, and directly opposite to Marcus Hook, having thereon a good dwelling-house, barn, stables, out-houses, and a good orchard, 125 acres cleared, and mostly under good fence, 75 acres of which is marsh meadow, in good order, well ditched and drained, and 45 acres more (already within bank) may easily be made, the upland may be manured with mud from the marsh, with great ease.

Four acres of good cedar swamp, well covered with timber, situate about 3 miles from the above described tract.

One third part of Oldman's Creek Island, containing 149 acres.

Three two story brick houses (each 14 feet front) situate in Philadelphia, on the south-side of Vine-street, between Front and Second-streets. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms of sale, by applying to WILLIAM BROWN, living on the first above described premises, or to WHITEHEAD JONES, at the upper end of Market-street, in Philadelphia. ¶ 5 W.

WANTED.

A STRONG, Gentle, Easy Saddle HORSE. He must both pace and trot, be full 15 Hands high, and not more than 6 or 7 Years old, of any Colour except white, grey, or light roan. Enquire of the Printers of this Paper. ¶

WHEREAS MARY HARRIS, the wife of John Harris, in Burlington, hath eloped from her said husband; these are to forewarn all persons from trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting from the date hereof. ¶ JOHN HARRIS.

WHEREAS Sarah, wife to Robert Wheaten, has strolled from place to place these 7 months past, and run me in debt, unknown to me; these are therefore to give notice to the publick, not to trust nor give any thing to her on my account, as I will not pay any debts of her contracting after the 4th of March instant. ROBERT WHEATEN. ‖

CAME to the plantation of Warrick Miller, in East Caln Township, Chester County, the 19th of last Month, a brown horse, about 12 years old, 14 hands and an half high, neither brand nor ear mark, paces and trots, has a snip and a star, and has been used to drawing, as his hair is wore with the geers. The owner is desired to prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. WARRICK MILLER. †

WILL COVER THIS SEASON,

The BELLSIZE ARABIAN,

HE is a Horse of superior Form, in Size, Strength and Beauty, to any in America; and, from his genuine Blood as an ARAB, is better suited for getting Race-Horses than any other blooded Horse amongst us; but besides this Encouragement for the Gentlemen of the Turf, his Beauty, Strength and Carriage, renders him equally fitted for mixing his Blood with our Country Mares, either for the Saddle or Carriage, the Arabian Horses being remarkable for stamping their Figure and other Qualities on their Stock. He was advertised last Year more fully, but as he has been seen, and greatly admired, by the best Judges from different Parts of the Continent, it is now thought unnecessary to say more. He is kept by JOHN WING, near the Sign of King George, in Arch-street, and will cover at Four Guineas a Mare, and a Dollar to the Groom; the Money to be paid when the Mare is covered, or when taken from Pasture; the said John Wing will take proper Care of all Mares that are sent to him, and has procured good and secure Pastures for them, at a moderate Rate. 6 M.

ALL persons indebted to SAMUEL PURVIANCE, jun. whose accounts are above twelve months unpaid, as well as those indebted to him by bond, bill or note, are requested to discharge the same before the first of May next, otherwise they may expect to be sued, without respect of persons.

As said Purviance declines the dry good business, he has now on hand a small assortment of goods, which he will sell very cheap, for cash or short credit. * 2 mo.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, situate in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, New-Jersey, bounding on Oldman's Creek, containing about 350 acres of land, about 28 acres thereof excellent dry swamp, about 70 acres of marsh, and about 45 acres of cleared land; the wood land chiefly well timbered. On the premises is a good dwelling-house and orchard; it is distant from Philadelphia market about 21 miles. For terms of sale, enquire of JACOB STILLE, on the premises, or of JOHN STILLE, in Philadelphia. ‡ 6 W.

Philadelphia, March 5, 1767.

To be LETT,

And entered upon the First of April next,

THE TAVERN where Mr. Peter Robeson now lives, pleasantly situated at the FALLS of SCHUYLKILL, five Miles from Philadelphia, a Place of great Resort, and well accustomed for Business, especially in the Summer Season. Any Person willing to rent the same, and who can engage to keep a neat and orderly House, with good Entertainment, may apply to the Subscriber, W. SMITH.

N. B. Twelve Acres of Land, or more, if wanted, will be lett with the Premises. §

To be SOLD, at the London Coffee-house, on Thursday, the 12th of March inst. at 6 o'Clock in the Evening,

A Good Brick House, 20 Feet front, about 32 Feet back; the House has two Rooms on a Floor, and a Cellar under the same, with a large Stone Kitchen, 16 Feet and a Half by 19 Feet and a Half, with four good Closets and an Oven, a good Room over the same, with four good Closets, a Well of excellent Water near the Kitchen Door, a Brick Little-house, a Chair-house, and two Stables that will hold 6 Horses, with a Hay-loft over the whole, a Wood-house, a Garden fenced in, about one Acre and a Half of good Upland Meadow, sowed with Clover and Timothy, about 60 Apple Trees of as good Fruit as any in America, with sundry fine Peach Trees; the whole under good Fence, and greatest Part under Cedar Post and Rails; the front Yard boarded in with Cedar; the House is situate at Frankford, on a Rising, and commands a fine Prospect next to the Widow M'Vaugh's, being very suitable for a Store or a Gentleman's Country Seat. Whoever inclines to purchase the above Premises before the Day of Sale, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber, living in the District of Southwark. ZACHARIAH NIEMAN.

N. B. Also to be sold, a stout healthy Negroe Boy.

TO BE SOLD,

By public vendue, on Thursday, the 19th day of March, the sale to begin at ten o'clock in the morning, on the premises,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, in the township of Haverford, Chester county, adjoining the lands of Messieurs Samuel and Charles Humphreys, about 9 miles from Philadelphia, containing 150 acres, which will be sold in two parcels, viz. one containing about 100 acres, with a large stone house, two stories high, a cellar under it, a large new barn, stables, and good spring-house; about one half well timbered, and the rest cleared, of which there are about 16 or 18 acres of good meadow, and more may be made, well watered, with a constant stream of water running thro' the whole; a good orchard, and a large garden paled in. The other containing about 50 acres, with a good new frame house, two stories high, thereon, well finished, a large log kitchen adjoining, a cellar under the same, a large garden paled in, and some orchard; there may be, with ease, some good meadow made, part of which well timbered, and the rest cleared, the whole being in good repair, and under good fence, both well situate for a public house, store or tradesman, being on a public cross-road leading from Philadelphia to Lancaster, and from Germantown to Derby, Chester and Brandywine. Any person or persons inclining to purchase the above plantation, or any part thereof, may view the same before the day of sale. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, where attendance will be given by

PETER PECHIN.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be sold, by public vendue, on Saturday, the 14th day of March, at the London Coffee-House, at five o'clock in the evening, a certain piece of marsh and meadow ground, pleasantly situate on the western bank of the river Schuylkill, in the township of Blockley, in the county of Philadelphia, containing 11 acres and an half of meadow, including a peninsula of upland, which commands an extensive and pleasant prospect of the river Schuylkill aforesaid, bounded by land of Mr. Andrew Hamilton, and others, plans whereof may be seen at the London Coffee-House, and at the sheriff's office; late part of the estate of Richard Gardner; seized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, *sheriff.*

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be sold, by public vendue, on Thursday, the 12th day of March, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the house of George Donnatt, in Whitemarsh, five undivided one-seventh parts of, in and to a certain messuage, plantation, and tract of land, and of, in and to the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate in the township of Springfield, in the county of Philadelphia, containing in the whole 110 acres, the whole into 7 equal parts to be divided; late the estate of Andrew Redheiffer; seized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, *sheriff.*

TO be exposed to SALE by publick vendue, at the Coffee-house, Philadelphia, on the 23d instant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a PLANTATION, containing 220 acres of land, pleasantly situated on Octorara Creek, chiefly in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, about 15 acres of plow-land cleared, with a young orchard; about 20 acres of meadow made, chiefly watered, under timothy and clover grass, and at least 30 more may be made, and readily watered, the streams never failing, and the ground good; the fences are in good repair. There is on said place a good mill, the mill-house built with stone and lime, hath 2 pair of stones, boulting cloths, &c. all in good order and credit for merchant and country work, well accustomed for both, and so situate, as not to be hindered by frost or back water, nor for want of water, and lies well for trade, being but 25 miles from Christine landing, in a wheat country, as well as on the road for wheat that comes over Susquehanna, at several ferries, as Peach Bottom, Fulton's, &c. 9 or 10 miles distant; with a dwelling-house, barn, stabling, house for the miller, good smith's shop, and sickle-mill, a fine conveniency for a fulling-mill. A third part of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, one third part in 6 months after, and the remainder a year from the time of sale.

§ JOSEPH HEWES.

To be SOLD by

ANDREW DOZ,

Living in Front-street, near the Draw-bridge,

SIX or Eight Load of the best First Crop UPLAND HAY. Likewise a Quantity of the Best FALL MACKREL, exceeding fat. ¶

To be SOLD by public vendue, at the London Coffee-house, on the 12th of the Third Month March next, being the fifth day of the week, at 5 o'clock in the evening, three lots of ground, with three brick houses thereon, in Philadelphia; late the estate of Doctor Lloyd Zachary, deceased.

1. A Lot, 21 feet front, on the east side of Second-street, and 160 feet back, having a large shop on the Second-street front, and near the east end of said lot a brick house, where Doctor Zachary dwelt, with the advantage of a court yard 40 by 21 feet, in front of the said brick house, and the privilege of a passage thence, through a 10 feet alley, into Walnut-street.

2. A lot, 21 feet on the west side of Front-street, with a brick house, 21 feet front by 42 feet deep, and brick buildings adjoining back of the said house, about 40 feet long, now in the tenure of Daniel Rundle, merchant; the lot extends 200 feet westward to the court yard aforesaid, with the advantage of the said court, and privilege of the passage through the 10 feet alley abovementioned into Walnut-street.

3. A bank house and lot, 31 feet and a half on Front-street, and continues the same breadth into Water-street, situate nearly opposite Daniel Rundle's aforesaid, which letts at 55 l. per ann.

Also a ground-rent of 10 l. per annum, issuing out of a water lot in tenure of Joseph Wharton, opposite the bank house aforesaid.

N. B. The purchasers of the above houses and lots to pay one third ready money, one third in six months, and the remainder in one year from the time of sale, without interest, giving security if required. ¶

To be Sold by the Subscriber, at the Crown, Cannister and Handsaw, in Second-street, between Market and Chestnut-streets,

AN Assortment of GRASS SEEDS of the last Growth, viz. Red and White Clover Seed, Timothy Ditto, Rye, Burden and Green Grass Ditto; also Hemp, Turnip and Annis-seeds. He has likewise for Sale, a large Assortment of Ironmongery, Joiners Brass Furniture, Sadlery, Tin Ware, Oil Colours, Dye-stuffs, Powder, Shot, Lead, Spices, &c. &c.

¶ 2 M. JONATHAN ZANE.

N. B. He gives ready Money for Horses Tails.

To be SOLD,

AT public vendue, on Friday, the 20th day of March next, a valuable plantation, containing 90 acres of extraordinary good land, situated in Plymouth township, Philadelphia county; it joins the river Schuylkill, and Egypt road, within a mile of the Swedes Ford, and near the sign of the black horse tavern; there is joining said place a very good fishing place for catching of Shad; there are 4 merchant mills within about three miles of said place; there is a large stone house, two stories high, with 4 rooms on a floor, and a cellar under the whole; a barn and stables; and a well of good water by the kitchen door, with a young orchard. There are about 50 acres cleared, the rest well timbered; there are about six or seven acres of meadow, most of it may be watered by a constant stream, which runs through the same; there is great part of the corn land limed, within these three or four years past; there is plenty of good lime stone on said place, and a lime kiln, where there has been several kilns burnt. The title is indisputable. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock on said day, on the premises, where attendance will be given by

‡ DAVID DAVIS.

RUN away, on the 7th of September, from the Subscriber living in Baltimore Town, a Negroe Girl, named Hagar, about 14 Years of Age, of a brownish Complexion, has remarkable long Fingers and Toes, and a Scar under one of her Breasts, supposed to be got by Whipping: Had on, when she went away, an Ozenbrigs Shift and Petticoat, very much patched, and may now be very ragged, an Iron Collar about her Neck, which it is probable she may have got off, as it was very poorly rivetted; she is supposed to be harboured in some Negroe Quarter, as her Father and Mother encourage her in these Elopements, under a Pretence that she is ill used at home. Whoever takes up said Girl and brings her to me, shall have, if taken ten Miles from home, Twenty Shillings Reward, if 20 Miles Forty Shillings, if further Three Pounds, and if out of the Province Five Pounds, paid by

Tbe. WILLIAM PAYNE.

N. B. All Persons are forbid to harbour the said Girl, as they shall answer the contrary at their Peril.

For BARBADOS,

The SHIP INDUSTRY,

JOHN HARRIS Commander,

A prime Sailer, has one Half of her Cargoe engaged, and will sail with the utmost Expedition. For Freight or Passage, apply to SAMUEL and CHARLES MASSEY, at their House in Water-street, between Market and Chestnut-streets, MAXWELL and GRAY, near South-street, or said Commander on board the Ship, now lying at Sims's and Massey's Wharff.

N. B. Said Masseys and Gray have for Sale, Barbados Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Cotton, Cocoa, Coffee, Madeira and Teneriffe Wines, in Pipes and Quarter Casks.

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

FILIAL PIETY Exemplified and Rewarded.

IN a great ſea-port, in one of the moſt diſtant provinces in France, there lived a merchant, who had carried on trade with equal honour and proſperity, until he was turned of fifty years of age; and then, by a ſudden ſeries of unexpected and unavoidable loſſes, found himſelf unable to comply with his engagements, and his wife and children, in whom he placed his principal happineſs, reduced into ſuch a ſituation as doubled his diſtreſs.

His ſole reſource in this ſad ſituation was, the reflection, that, upon the ſtricteſt review of his own conduct, nothing either of iniquity or imprudence appeared. He thought it beſt therefore to repair to Paris, in order to lay a true ſtate of his affairs before his creditors, that being convinced of his honeſty, they might be induced to pity his misfortunes, and allow him a reaſonable ſpace of time to ſettle his affairs. He was very kindly received by ſome, and very civilly by all; from whence he conceived great hopes, which he communicated to his family. But theſe were ſpeedily daſhed, by the cruelty of his principal creditor, who cauſed him to be ſeized and ſent to a gaol.

As ſoon as this melancholy event was known in the country, his eldeſt ſon, who was turned of nineteen, liſtening only to the dictates of filial piety, came poſt to Paris, and threw himſelf at the feet of the obdurate creditor, to whom he painted the diſtreſs of the family, in the moſt pathetic terms, but without effect. At length, in the greateſt agony of mind, he ſaid, "Sir, ſince you think nothing can compenſate for your loſs but a victim, let your reſentment devolve upon me. Let me ſuffer inſtead of my father, and the miſeries of a priſon will ſeem light, in procuring the liberty of a parent, to conſole the ſorrows of the diſtracted and dejected family that I have left behind me. Thus, Sir, you will ſatisfy your vengeance, without ſealing their irretrievable ruin!" And there his tears and ſighs ſtopped his utterance.

His father's creditor beheld him upon his knees in this condition, for a full quarter of an hour. He then ſternly bid him riſe, and ſit down; which he obeyed. The gentleman then walked from one corner of the room to the other, in great agitation of mind, for about the ſame ſpace of time. At length, throwing his arms about the young man's neck, "I find," ſaid he, "there is yet ſomething more valuable than money. I have an only daughter, for whoſe fate I have the utmoſt anxiety. I am reſolved to fix it; in marrying you, ſhe muſt be happy. Go, carry your father's diſcharge, aſk his conſent, bring him inſtantly hither, and let us bury in the joy of this alliance, all remembrance of what has formerly happened." Thus the generous gratitude of the ſon relieved the calamity of the worthy father. The man who had conſidered wealth and happineſs as ſynonimous terms, was freed from that fatal error; and Providence vindicated the manner of its proceeding, by thus bringing light out of darkneſs, and through a ſhort ſcene of miſery, rewarded a virtuous family with laſting peace, in the enjoyment of that proſperity which they ſo well deſerved.

The Affectionate WIFE, and Heroic DAUGHTER.

NOW a-days, when a princeſs enters in the fifth month of her pregnancy, phyſicians, ſurgeons, and men-midwives, aſſume the direction of her health; ſhe is ſcarce allowed to go out of her apartment, in the eaſieſt carriage, and the ſmootheſt road; the riſque is too great for her condition; was ſhe ever ſo deſirous of making an excurſion only from Verſailles to Fountainbleau, they would with very ſolemn faces oppoſe it. Cayet, ſub-preceptor to Henry IV. relates, that "Jean of Albret, having requeſted to accompany her huſband in the Picardy wars, the king, her father, laid his commands on her, ſhould ſhe prove with child, "to come away with her big belly to him, to be delivered in his houſe, and he would take care of the child, boy or girl." This princeſs being pregnant, in her ninth month ſet out from Compeigne, croſſed all France down to the Pyrenees, and in a fortnight reached Pau in Berne. She was very deſirous (adds the hiſtorian) to ſee her father's will, which was kept in a large gold box, with which alſo was a gold chain of ſuch a length, as to go twenty-five or thirty times about a woman's neck; ſhe aſked him for it; "Thou ſhalt have it, ſaid he, on thy ſhewing me the child now in thy womb, ſo that it be no puny, whimpering chit: I give thee my word the whole ſhall be thine, provided that whilſt thou art in labour, thou ſingeſt me a Berne ſong, and I will be at thy delivery." Between midnight and one o'clock, on the 13th of December, 1553, the princeſs's pains came on: Her father, on notice, haſtened down, and ſhe hearing him come into the room, chanted out the old Berne lay:

Notre dame du bout du pont,
Aidez moi en cette heure, &c.

Immediately after her delivery, her father put the gold chain about her neck, and gave her the gold box, in which was his will, ſaying, "There, girl, that is thine, but this belongs to me," taking up the babe in his gown, without ſtaying till it was dreſſed, and carried it away into his apartment. The little prince was fed and brought up, ſo as to inure him to fatigue and hardſhip, frequently eating nothing but the coarſeſt common bread; the good king, his grandfather, had given ſuch orders. He uſed, according to the cuſtom of the country, to run about bare-headed and bare-footed, with the village boys, both in winter and ſummer. Who was this prince? Henry IV.

DRESDEN, December 15.

FROM the extraordinary drought during the laſt autumn in theſe parts, water became ſo ſcarce in places any way remote from the Elbe, that people have not been able to grind a ſufficient quantity of corn into meal for their winter proviſion, and now that the froſts are ſetting in, the Elbe itſelf can be of little ſervice for that purpoſe; wherefore, as a ſcarcity of ſo neceſſary an article begins already to be felt, the adminiſtrator, to prevent the growing evil, has taken off the tax on meal of all kinds, and they are about to erect wind-mills, prohibited hitherto, in favour of ſuch as held the water-mills in farm.

Berlin, Dec. 16. *His Majeſty has been pleaſed to raiſe Major-General Saldern, commandant of Potzdam, to the rank of Lieutenant-General, and alſo to appoint him Governor of Magdeburgh, and Colonel of a regiment.*

Baron John George Vander Groben, is appointed by the King, Miniſter of State and War, and Marſhal of the Kingdom of Pruſſia, in the room of the late Baron de Wallenrodt.

LONDON.

Dec. 19. *The declaration which M. de Benoit, the Pruſſian Miniſter, has preſented to the dyet of Poland, on the ſubject of the* majority of votes *decreed by the dyet of convocation in* 1764, *contains what follows:*

"*The laſt dyet of convocation of* 1764, *having enacted, in eſtabliſhing the commiſſions of the treaſury and army, that the affairs relating to thoſe two departments ſhould be decided by majority of votes in the dyets; the ſtates, aſſembled in the preſent dyet, are divided in their opinions, through the generality of the terms of that law. Several members have attempted, by a forced explication, to extend it even to the principal matters of the ſtate, ſuch as thoſe of eſtabliſhing new taxes, and augmenting the troops: But the true Patriots are ſenſible, that this would totally change the form of government, and ſubvert, to all intents and purpoſes, the Poliſh liberty, which is the moſt precious advantage of this illuſtrious nation.*

"*And, as his Majeſty the King of Pruſſia, as a friend, neighbour, and ally of the Republic of Poland, as well as from the engagement of his crown, has at heart the unalterable preſervation of the form of government of this ſtate, as well as that of its liberty in its full extent, and the rights of all in general, and of every individual in particular; the under-ſigned finds himſelf obliged to repreſent, and to declare, in the name of the King his maſter, that his Majeſty can never look on with indifference when the principal points of the form of government of Poland are in queſtion; and conſequently demands, that the ſaid law of the dyet of convocation be made clear by the preſent dyet, and that it be plainly enacted, that the* Majority of votes *ſhall not take place, when the Republic is not confederated, in any thing which relates to* the eſtabliſhment of taxes, and the augmentation of the troops; *but that thoſe things ſhall entirely depend on* unanimity, *as well as all the other affairs of the ſtate, in which the* liberum veto *muſt preſerve its whole force.*

"*This the ſubſcribed has orders to* demand *in the name of the King his maſter, flattering himſelf that his Majeſty the King of Poland, whoſe patriotic ſentiments are known, as well as all thoſe who are animated with the ſame zeal, will unite to grant without delay this* demand, *ſo juſt, and ſo ſalutary to the Poliſh liberty, in order that they may not be expoſed to* all the evils *which muſt neceſſarily reſult from the contrary, as his Majeſty the King of Pruſſia, from his friendſhip and his engagements with the Republic, cannot avoid giving* all poſſible proofs *of the intereſt he takes in the unalterable preſervation of the form of government of Poland, as well as in that of the prerogatives and liberties of the nation and the true patriots, which are incompatible with ſuch dangerous innovations.*

Done at *Warſaw*, the 11th Nov. 1766. [Signed] G. DE BENOIT."

TO BE SOLD,

A LOT of meadow ground, ſituate on Tinicum Iſland, adjoining the lands of John Vanderen, Reeſe Meredith, and others, fronting the river Delaware, containing 12 acres and 60 perches; it was ſowed with hemp laſt year, and is in fine order to receive graſs ſeed, and accommodated with a very good road through Boon's Iſland.

Likewiſe about 20 acres of very good land on Boon's Iſland, adjoining the lands of Joſeph Galloway, Andrew Cocks, and John Juſtice, eleven and a half of which is good meadow, ploughed laſt fall, and is now in order for hemp or indian corn; on the upland is a good ſquare log-houſe, and a well of good water at the door. For further particulars, and terms of ſale, enquire of GEORGE GRAY, at the Lower Ferry, on Schuylkill.

Paſſyunk, March 9, 1767.

WHEREAS a certain JAMES CHATTIN, about 16 months ago, left as a pledge, in the hands of the ſubſcriber, a blue ſurtout coat, and ſaddle bags, for value had of him; and as the coat is in danger of periſhing by moth, &c. Theſe are to notice him, the ſaid James Chattin, or any other for him, that unleſs the ſaid goods are redeemed, and the money paid, within one month after date, the ſame will be ſent to publick vendue in this city, and ſold. ¶ HENRY MAAG.

BY virtue of a writ of levari facias to me directed, on Saturday, the 4th day of April next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, tenement and plantation, with about 40 acres of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in Upper Providence, in the county of Cheſter, by Providence road, bounded by lands of Joſeph Worrall, John Calvert, Charles Linn, and Providence road; late the eſtate of Charles M'Michael deceaſed, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Tueſday, the 7th day of April next, at about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be ſold by vendue, on the premiſes, a meſſuage or tenement, and tract of about 144 acres and an half of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in Oxford townſhip, in the county of Cheſter, bounded by lands of Stephen Cornelius, David Fleming, Henry Coulden, William Armſtrong, and John Henderſon; late the eſtate of James Dickey, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, ſheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Thurſday, the 9th of April, at two o'clock in the afternoon, will be ſold by vendue, on the premiſes, a certain meſſuage, plantation, and tract of 100 acres of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in Radnor townſhip, Cheſter county; bounded by lands of Lewis Jerman, Benjamin Livezey, David Cornick, and others, late the eſtate of Adam Siter, ſeized and taken in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

NOTICE is hereby given to all perſons indebted to the eſtate of John Stouffer, late of Warwick townſhip, Lancaſter county, to pay off their reſpective debts; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring in their accounts, properly proved, between this and the firſt day of May next, to

JACOB EARBE, *and* MICHAEL SHANCK, *Executors.*

TO SOLD by public Vendue, on Tueſday, the 24th of this inſtant March, on the Premiſes, A Stone Houſe, two Stories high, with a Well of good Water, an Oven and Stable belonging thereto, ſituate in Germantown, on the main Road, between Doctor Shippen's and Mr. Henry Gilbert's. There is, beſides the Lot on which the Houſe ſtands, one other Lot, fronting the Street, whereon a good Houſe may be erected, which will be ſold with the Houſe. The Conditions of Sale will be made known at the Time and Place of Sale.

¶ 1 W. DAVID SEIFFERHELD, Skinner.

Philadelphia, 14th of the 3d month, called March, 1767.

WHEREAS JOSIAH WOOD left this city ſome years ago, and has not been heard of ſince; if the ſaid Wood be living, and will return in eight months from the date hereof, he may hear of ſomething to his advantage, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living in the ſaid city.

THOMAS SAY.

N. B. The ſaid JOSIAH WOOD is a grandſon to Mary Pown, deceaſed: If he is living, and cannot come to Philadelphia, he is deſired to write to the ſubſcriber, ſo that the letter may be received within the time. §

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Springfield Townſhip, in Cheſter County, and Province of Pennſylvania, about 12 Miles from Philadelphia, containing 150 Acres of extraordinary good Land, about 10 Acres of good Meadow already made, and as much more may be made, and the greateſt Part thereof watered by a plentiful Stream running through the ſame; about 40 Acres of Woodland; the reſt very good Cornland, under good Fence, and bears good Clover-graſs. There is a good ſawed Log Houſe on this Plantation, with a Spring of good Water near the Door.

Alſo to be ſold, a certain Lot of Ground on Ridley Creek, in Ridley Townſhip, about one Mile from Cheſter, containing 7 Acres, be the ſame more or leſs, advantageouſly ſituated, as there is a good Landing, and an excellent Quarry of good Stone lately opened thereon; two Acres of good Meadow may be made, there being on one Part a Quantity of Mud; and the whole Lot is well timbered.

Alſo to be ſold, a likely Negroe Man, that underſtands Fineing and Drawing of Bar Iron in a Forge, and has been ten Years in the Buſineſs. He is ſold for no Fault, but for Want of Employ. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, may, by applying to JOB DIX, ſee the Premiſes, and know the Particulars. §

To be LETT or SOLD,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION in Oxford Townſhip, Philadelphia County, ſituate on the lower Road leading to New-York, and the Road that the Stage-Waggons and Travellers to New-York generally make Uſe of, containing about 142 Acres, 20 of which is good Meadow, and more may be eaſily made; there are about 50 acres of Wood-land, with a good Orchard, the tillable Land exceeding rich, and the whole under good Fence; a convenient Stone Dwelling-houſe, two Stories high, three Rooms on a Floor; a good Brick Kitchen, two Stories high; a Frame Waſh-houſe, with a Well of good Water at the Door; Stone Stable, Chair-houſe, Barn, Out-houſes, Sheds, and other Conveniences fitting for a public Houſe, which has been kept there theſe ten Years paſt, known by the Name of the Wheat Sheaff. There are two very good Gardens on the Premiſes; it is diſtant about ſeven Miles and a Half from Philadelphia, and about a Mile from the River Delaware, of which there is a very pleaſant Proſpect from the Houſe. It is an exceeding agreeable and healthy Situation. One Half of the Purchaſe Money to be paid down, and the other Half in a Twelvemonth, giving Security, if required. For further Particulars, enquire of Mr. JOHN COX, junior, in Third-ſtreet, Mr WILLIAM RUSH, Blackſmith, in Philadelphia, or of the Subſcriber, on the Premiſes. JOHN HALL.

N. B. The Subſcriber is impowered to act for ſome Gentlemen who have valuable Lands in Nova-Scotia, ſome of which may be purchaſed, and ſome may be had, by induſtrious Families, on Terms of Settlement. The ſaid HALL has alſo a Share in one of the four Companies to whom the Townſhips of Monckton and Frankfort are granted, and carried eleven Families to the ſaid Lands laſt Year, who find them extremely rich, and are well pleaſed with their Situation: Other Settlers intending for either of theſe Townſhips, may apply to him before the 10th of April next, and be informed of the Terms. §

To be SOLD by

WILLIAM WILSON,

At his ſtore in Second-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, a large aſſortment of European, Eaſt and Weſt-India Goods, among which are,

LINENS, woollens, worſted ſtuffs, felt hats, hoſiery, cutlery, ironmongery, pewter, ſilver watches, copper and braſs ware, coffee, cotton, ſugar, alſpice, ginger, chocolate, tea, pepper, pipes, whalebone, train oil, indigo, logwood, redwood, madder, galls verdigreaſe, copperas, allom, glue, &c. &c. &c.

N. B. A good three ſtory brick houſe to lett, in Arch-ſtreet, near Second-ſtreet. ¶

Imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool and Briſtol, and to be ſold, wholeſale or retail, on the very loweſt terms, for caſh only, by

ALEXANDER BARTRAM,

At his ſhop in Market-ſtreet, next door to the ſign of the Indian King,

A NEAT aſſortment of dry goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon. Likewiſe a large aſſortment of enamelled and blue and white china, two quart, quart, three pint, pint, and half pint bowls; plates and diſhes, chocolate cups (with handles) and ſaucers, half pint bowls and ſaucers, coffee cups and ſaucers, tea cups and ſaucers, tea pots, ſauce boats, ſugar diſhes and cream jugs. Alſo ſhort pipes by the box, great choice of chimney tiles, a very large aſſortment of glaſs, blue and white delph, ſtone, and enamelled ſtone ware by the crate or ſmaller quantity; tea, coffee, chocolate, &c.---And on the 23d of this month will begin the firſt ſale of his Pennſylvania penciled tea pots, bowls and ſugar diſhes, which for beauty of colours, and elegance of figure, &c. is allowed, by the niceſt judges, to exceed any imported from England.

N. B. Thoſe who are indebted to the late partnerſhip of BARTRAM and DUNDAS, are once more intreated immediately to pay their reſpective debts to ALEXANDER BARTRAM, otherwiſe he will be laid under the diſagreeable neceſſity of ſuing them for the ſame, without further notice.---He hopes this will not be thought ungenerous or ſevere, as he intends leaving the province ſoon.

A COMMODIOUS TAN-YARD, South Eaſt of the Barracks, to be Lett by JOSHUA EMLEN. ¶

MONTAUBAN, November 19.

THE inhabitants of this place are in the greateſt conſternation, on account of the river Tarne having overflowed theſe three days paſt, and ſurrounded three of the ſurbubs of this city; where the waters have undermined the foundations of the houſes in ſuch a manner, that 30 of them have already fallen down. The water hath penetrated the earth to that degree, that the principal ſtreet of one of theſe ſuburbs, which is the richeſt part of the town, is ſunk in ſeveral places. Upwards of 200 families, who inhabited the houſes that were under water, have been obliged to carry off their beſt effects with great precipitation, and to abandon the reſt, together with their houſes, to the mercy of the waters.

The Intendant of the Province has been two days and two nights employed, in giving the neceſſary orders for ſhoaring the houſes that were in danger of falling, and getting out the people, who were ſaving their effects at the hazard of their lives. Bread is daily diſtributed in the public ſquares, to the people who are deſtitute of neceſſaries, and of ſhelter, and at night they retire into the churches. The damage occaſioned by this kind of deluge, and the conſequences that are to be apprehended from it, cannot be repaired theſe thirty years. This morning the water has fell three feet; and it is feared that before it is quite ſubſided ſeveral more houſes will fall. At preſent only one perſon is ſaid to have periſhed.

LONDON.

December 17. A few days ago arrived at his Grace the Duke of Mancheſter's houſe, in Berkley-ſquare, a beautiful Eagle, a preſent from North-America.

On Saturday laſt a patent paſſed the Great Seal, appointing William Woodley, Eſq; Governor of the Caribbee iſlands.

Dec. 18. It is not a little remarkable, that one of the conditions which a noble Duke demanded, in a late conference with the *Oſtenſible* Miniſter, was the very peerage *laſt* created; and which was then refuſed. It has now been granted, not for the ſame purpoſe of conciliating the great intereſt which propoſed it, but upon the principle of *Divide et impera*.

Laſt week the King in Council paſſed forty-two grants of lands in Eaſt-Florida, moſt of them to gentlemen of conſiderable fortunes.---It is obſervable, that no leſs than ten noblemen, and fifteen members of parliament, have already obtained grants, with intention to eſtabliſh plantations in this promiſing colony.

Dec. 23. Private letters from Leghorn mention, that a body of Sardinian troops would ſoon make their appearance in the iſland of Corſica, in conſequence of ſome recent engagements between the republic of Genoa and the court of Turin.

This morning the Lords of trade met, when Lord Clare took his ſeat as firſt Lord.

Dec. 27. The oppoſition, we hear, has gained conſiderable ground ſince the late receſs from buſineſs.

It has been remarked, that during the laſt five adminiſtrations, they have all had the majority in parliament, and carried every point they propoſed; a convincing proof of the utility of each of their meaſures; ſo that the frequent changes of miniſters and placemen, cannot be owing to any bad conduct, but to a very laudable maxim lately adopted, of equally rewarding all the nobility and gentry in rotation, with penſions, places, reverſions, ſine-cures, &c. &c. And we hear that ſhortly the time will be limited for the continuance of each; which will be the beſt ſcheme ever yet adopted, to quiet all parties, as they will be ſure of being rewarded in ſucceſſion.

Extract of a letter from an Engliſh gentleman at Amſterdam, to his friend in London, dated December 18.

" It is the general opinion of our politicians here, that a freſh war in the empire will ſoon be kindled. The diſpoſition of the King of Pruſſia, they ſay, may eaſily be diſcovered; and whether the pretext be unanimity in the dyet of Poland, or any other ſeeming foreign cauſe, the ordering of his officers immediately to join their reſpective corps, and other internal regulations, evince, that ſuch an event is expected at Berlin. Whatever may be the pretence, we doubt not but the cauſe may be traced to the antient bone of contention, *Sileſia*. It is however to be hoped, that as England can derive no advantage from the entire poſſeſſion of that province, either by Auſtria or Brandenburgh, we ſhall have prudence enough not to intermeddle in a quarrel, which ſhould no way intereſt us. If we are not convinced the balance of power is a phantom which we have been purſuing for upwards of a century, we ſhould at leaſt be convinced that the national debt it hath created *really exiſts*, and muſt neceſſarily be increaſed whenever we renew the chace."

The Princeſs of Brunſwick's viſit to Wooburn, it is ſaid, means ſomething more than mere Chriſtmas entertainment.

A writer of ſome eminence was lately applied to by a great man, for the aſſiſtance of his pen, and promiſed a lucrative office, in caſe his productions were attended with ſucceſs. " Give me the place firſt, my Lord (ſays the author) for it is juſt I ſhould entertain a doubt of your honour, ſince you entertain a doubt of my abilities.

It is reported, that the Eaſt-India Company are no ways intimidated by ſome late proceedings, for making them re-pay any ſums of money in conſequence of their ſucceſs; on the contrary, they are determined to keep their own at all events; and that they will not part with any papers, &c. on any account.

Dec. 29. Private letters from the Hague mention, that a loan was negociating there for two millions of guilders, by the miniſter of a certain power.

Accounts are ſaid to be received, that the States General have ordered the raiſing a conſiderable body of land forces.

A few nights ago a gentleman (ſuppoſed to be in poſſeſſion of moſt of the court ſecrets) being at a certain coffee houſe, not far from St. James's, offered to lay a wager, of two hundred to one hundred pounds, that a certain patriot nobleman would not remain three weeks longer in office; and at the ſame time offered to lay another wager, of five hundred pounds to twenty, that the ſame nobleman would be obliged to reſign before the expiration of three months at fartheſt; but he could not find any gentleman who durſt venture to take him up.

Dec. 30. Yeſterday his Excellency the Pruſſian ambaſſador had a conference with ſecretary Conway, on the ſubject of ſome important diſpatches from the court of Berlin.

According to a letter from Vienna, a miſunderſtanding has happened, on account of the inveſtiture to be given by the Emperor for ſome countries belonging to the King of Pruſſia in Germany, as Elector and Sovereign of ſeveral principalities there.

Among the ſeveral amendments intended to be made to the marriage act, we hear there is one, whereby huſbands will be authorized to prohibit their wives from contracting debts without their knowledge or conſent, by entering ſuch prohibition into a public regiſter, to be kept for that purpoſe, and public for ſearching. At preſent there is no ſuch law, whereby many induſtrious tradeſmen are ruined, from the extravagance of the wife, notwithſtanding their advertiſing not to truſt them. This method is practiſed in Scotland, and ſeveral other nations.

Jan. 1. Expreſſes are frequently paſſing between our court and that of Stockholm, which makes it conjectured that ſomething of importance is on the carpet.

Whitehall, Dec. 30. The King has been pleaſed to appoint Colonel John Mompeſſon to be Lieutenant-Govenor of the iſle of Wight, in the room of Lieutenant-General John Stanwix, deceaſed.

Charles-Town, South-Carolina, February 20.

Extract of a letter from London, December 18.

" *The inſtability of our councils is ſtill too apparent.--------Wilkes preſumed ſo much on the laſt change, as to venture over to this city, where he ſometimes appeared, and wrote a letter to his Majeſty, incloſed in one to the Duke of Grafton. In that to the King he made ſubmiſſion, and craved a pardon; and he begged the Duke to preſent it, and ſecond the requeſt with his influence; but previous to the Duke's venturing to preſent it to the King, he took Lord Chatham's advice, who ſaid, his ſentiments of Wilkes were ſtill the ſame as he had expreſſed in parliament, viz. that he was a blaſphemer of his God, and a libeller of his Sovereign, and therefore deſired the letter might not be preſented; upon which Wilkes thought proper to retire to Holland, the debts he had contracted in France forbidding his return thither, and the attorney and ſollicitor-general had given hints, that they muſt proceed againſt him as an out-law.*"

QUEBEC, February 9.

Saturday night laſt, as Captain John Malcom, together with his ſon and daughter, was going from town to his country-houſe, in a cariole, about four o'clock in the afternoon, he was met on the road, between the Windmill and St. John's Gate, by Lieutenant Burns, of the 52d regiment, walking into town, with a large club in his hand; upon his meeting Mr. Malcom, he ſtruck his horſe, and overſet the cariole; Mr. Malcom aſked him what he meant by ſuch uſage, to which Mr. Burns made anſwer, *That he would* FINISH *him*, and immediately ſtruck Mr. Malcom on the head, and by the ſtroke broke his club; but notwithſtanding of Mr. Malcom and his daughter's aſking him his reaſons for ſo barbarous an aſſault, he ſtruck him a ſecond time, which knocked Mr. Malcom down, and continued knocking at Mr. Malcom, with the remains of the club, until he ſaw two men come up, upon which he immediately went away.

HALIFAX, February 19.

On Tueſday laſt, about twelve o'clock at night, a fire broke out at the Main Guard, which burnt with great violence for near an hour, but was happily extinguiſhed, without doing any further damage than conſuming the ſame. It is ſaid to be occaſioned by ſome wood which was lodged in the chimney of the officers Guard Room imperceptibly catching fire, and continued ſmothering for ſeveral hours, till at laſt it broke out in the upper part of the houſe, where ſome priſoners were confined, one of whom ſaved his life by jumping out of the window.

His Excellency the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, the commanding officer, and ſeveral of the officers, civil and military, were preſent, and gave all neceſſary directions. The 14th and 29th regiments were remarkably active on the occaſion, pulling down all fences, and removing every thing which might contribute to the ſpreading of the flames. The officers and men of the guard and picket were particularly careful of the goods and houſhold furniture, which by the fears of the inhabitants were thrown into the ſtreets from the adjoining houſes. And though all thieves and vagrants make uſe of ſuch opportunities to diſtreſs the unfortunate, yet, by the care of the ſoldiery, nothing of any value was loſt.

BOSTON, February 23.

Saturday laſt his Excellency the Governor was pleaſed to ſend the following Meſſage to the Honourable Houſe of Repreſentatives, viz.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives,

I Communicated the Meſſage which I received from you Yeſterday to the Lieutenant-Governor, and have ſince received a Letter from him upon the Subject; which I think proper to communicate to you. It is my Deſire, as well as his, that this Diſpute ſhould ſubſide for the preſent, without Prejudice to the Right in Queſtion; and as I have no Intereſt in it but what ariſes from my Duty to ſupport the Rights of the King's Commiſſion, I hope I ſhall be inſtructed how to act before this Diſpute is revived.

Province-Houſe, FRANCIS BERNARD.
February 21, 1767.

The Lieutenant-Governor's Letter is as follows.

SIR, Boſton, February 20, 1767.

I Waited upon your Excellency to Council the firſt Day of the Seſſion in the General Court, to teſtify my Reſpect to your Perſon, and to do Honour to the Commiſſion you ſuſtain. I had frequently been preſent in Council ſince the laſt Election, and not one Member of either Houſe ever intimated to me that he was in the leaſt Degree diſſatisfied with it.---I ſuppoſe that there were ſeveral Parts of the Charter which gave Countenance to it, and that there was no Part which rendered it improper. I knew that immediately upon the Arrival of the Charter, it was the Senſe of the General Court, that the Lieutenant-Governor had a Right to be preſent in Council.---I thought that a contemporaneous Expoſition, eſpecially when the Perſons who ſollicited the Charter in England, and who were conſulted in the framing every Part of it, were then in the Province, together with an uninterrupted Practice for 40 Years immediately upon it, were ſufficient to juſtify me.---I was not inſenſible that one, and but one Lieutenant-Governor, my immediate Predeceſſor, had not ſat in Council, and I had heard that the Gentleman who was then Governor excluded him; but I heard, at the ſame Time, that this was looked upon as a meer Act of Power, admitting or excluding a Lieutenant-Governor whenſoever the Governor thought proper, and I did not imagine that the Act or Opinion of a ſingle Governor would ever be urged againſt the Opinion and Practice of the whole General Court, during the Adminiſtration of five preceding Governors.---Your Excellency had never ſignified to me that my preſence in Council was diſagreeable to you.

I am extremely concerned that any Thing which relates to me ſhould occaſion a Difference in Sentiments between your Excellency and the Houſe of Repreſentatives, at a Time when every Man of every Order ought to contribute all that is in his Power to the Reſtoration of Harmony and Tranquility; and notwithſtanding it is very grievous to me, that ſo reſpectable a Body have paſſed ſo heavy a Judgment upon my Conduct, without giving me an Opportunity of juſtifying or excuſing it, I ſhall endeavour to be patient under my Misfortune, and I will avoid all Occaſion of further Controverſy with the preſent Houſe of Repreſentatives, by wholly abſenting myſelf from the Council Chamber, unleſs your Excellency ſhall give Direction for my Attendance there for any ſpecial Purpoſe.

I am obliged to your Excellency for your Concern to vindicate my Character. I hope enough has been already done for that Purpoſe; but if not, I had rather wait ſome future Opportunity of doing it, than be the Means of continuing the leaſt Diſpute in the General Court, preſuming that this my Act will never be improved to the Prejudice of the future Claim of the Lieutenant-Governor, much leſs to the Prejudice of the Right of the Governor, or of the Council, to admit a Lieutenant-Governor to be preſent at that Board when they ſhall judge it proper.

I am, with very great Reſpect,
Your Excellency's moſt obedient Servant,
THOMAS HUTCHINSON.

NEW-YORK, March 12.

On Monday night, the 2d inſtant, a fiſhing ſhallop, with Mr. William Braſher, of this city, and one Thomas Nutman, and another man on board, was forced on ſhore on the ſouth-weſt ſide of Coney iſland, in a violent gale of wind, where ſhe was found ſtove to pieces, and all the three men loſt.

The ſame night a ſhop, near Burling's Slip, was broke open, and robbed of ſundry goods; and the next night a brig had ſome iron pots ſtole from on board, beſides ſome damage done. Near the ſame time a boat had two barrels of flour taken away off her decks: And on Friday night a ſhop near Oſwego market was robbed of upwards of £20 in caſh, and ſome linen. On Sunday morning laſt a trunk was ſtole at the Fly market, with ſome valuable goods in it; and ſeveral other ſmaller robberies have been lately committed here; which ſhould caution all honeſt people to be more watchful of thoſe villains.

Since the firſt of December laſt, 18851 hogſheads of flaxſeed have been ſhipped from this port for Ireland.

We hear by Captain Field, who left Jamaica the 17th of January, that the crops there were but indifferent, that ſince their ports have been made free for all nations, they have been frequented, eſpecially Kingſton, by Spaniards, ſome French and others.-----That they had heard from the Bay, that 3 or 400 veſſels were lying there, and that trade was very dull. On the 12th of February, Capt. Field received conſiderable damage in a ſevere gale of wind from the weſtward, which laſted ſeveral days.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.

By a Gentleman who left the Ilinois on the 21ſt of November laſt, we are informed, that a perfect Tranquility ſubſiſted among the Indians there, who all ſeemed very well diſpoſed towards the Engliſh.----That the Spaniſh Troops were not arrived at New-Orleans the 4th of January, but hourly expected; and Preparations were making for their going (immediately after their Arrival) to take Poſſeſſion of the Country to the Weſtward of the Miſſiſippi, formerly ſettled by the French; and that Flour was in very great Demand at that Place, as alſo Proviſions in general.

The Sloop ---------, Captain Robins, from Jamaica for this Port, meeting with very hard Gales of Wind off Cape Anthony, in which ſhe loſt her Rudder, was driving about in the Bay of Mexico between five and ſix Weeks, and at length drove off the Bay of Honduras; on the Captain's making the Land, he came to Anchor, and went on Shore with his People; the next Morning the Veſſel drove aſhore near the Place where he landed, when he ſold her to the Spaniards, and afterwards arrived at Penſacola about the 24th of January, from whence he is coming home Paſſenger in Captain Watkins, by Way of Georgia.

The Ship Neptune, Captain Shanks, belonging to London, from Dominica, for Charles Town, South-Carolina, was drove aſhore in Rebellion Road, in a Gale of Wind, on the 24th ult. but by cutting away her Main and Mizenmaſts, ſhe was got off again, without receiving much Damage.

The Brig mentioned in our laſt to be blown out from the Road, was the Philadelphia Packet, Captain Harriſon, from South-Carolina, who loſt two Anchors and Cables before he put out; he was ſpoke with ſince, by Captain Long, arrived here from Barbados, who ſpared him a ſmall Anchor.

By Captain Nicholſon, in 26 Days from Barbados, we learn, that Captain Seymour ſailed the Day before he did, and that Captain Cooper was to ſail in a Day or two after him, both for this Port.

Captain Batſon, of this Port, is arrived at Barbados from South-Carolina.

On Sunday Night laſt one James Carwin was found in the Streets very much in Liquor, and was carried to the Workhouſe, put into a Bed there, and died the next Morning.

Account of the EXPORTS from Philadelphia, from April 5, 1765, to April 5, 1766.

367522 Buſhels of Wheat.
198516 Barrels of Flour, being 16543 Tons, of 12 Barrels.
34736 Barrels of Bread, being 2171 Tons, of 16 Barrels.
609 Barrels of Beef.
6645 Barrels of Pork.
3912 Thouſand Staves.
358 Thouſand Heading.
2114 Thouſand Shingles.
60206 Buſhels of Indian Corn.
882 Tons of Bar Iron.
813 Tons of Pig Iron.
1644 Boxes of Soap.
1202 Ditto Candles.
97 Thouſand Hoops.
1640 lb. of Tobacco.
783 Thouſand Feet of Boards and Scantling.
1288 Barrels of Beer.
283 Kegs of Starch.
12094 Hogſheads of Flaxſeed.
64 Cheſts of Skins and Furs.

N. B. In the above Liſt the following Articles are not included, viz. Butter, Proviſions and Stores for Shipping, New Veſſels, Cordage, Bees-wax, Logwood, Gammons, &c. &c.

Account of GOODS exported from the Port of New-York, between the 5th of July, 1765, and the 5th of July, 1766, viz.

5187 Hundred Weight of Naval Stores.
1032 Tons of Pig and Bar Iron.
102 Tons of Pot and Pearl Aſhes.
172 Caſes, Bundles, &c. of Furs and Skins.
80 Tons of Copper Ore.
281 Pound Weight of Indico.
27786 Hundred Wt. Logwood, Fuſtick and Nicoraga-Wood.
5519 Tons of Bread and Flour.
2941 Barrels of Beef and Pork.
1198 Firkins of Butter.
3730 Caſks of Fiſh.
109666 Buſhels of Grain.
80 Caſks of Cheeſe.
2398 Boxes of Soap and Candles.
617 Caſks of Lard.
116 Caſks of Rice.
11037 Hogſheads of Flaxſeed.

N. B. Beſides what is contained in this Liſt, Veſſels are frequently filled up with different Sorts of Lumber, and a great Variety of other Articles, ſuch as Tallow, Bees-wax, Sarſaparilla, Gammons, Ginſeng, Beer, Starch, &c.

[*For more NEWS, ſee the laſt Column of next Page.*]

PRICE CURRENT *of the following Goods in* Philadelphia.

Flour 17 s. Wheat 5s. 9d. Indian Corn 3s. Ship Bread 16 s. 6 d. Middling Ditto 28s. Pipe Staves 9l. Barrel Ditto 4l. Hogſhead Ditto 7l. 7s. 6d. Beef 55s. Pork 75s. Weſt-India Rum 2s. 8d. New-England Ditto 2s. Pennſylvania Ditto 2s. 1d. Madeira Wine 40 to 60l. Muſcovado Sugar 40 to 60s. Melaſſes 1s. 9d. Pennſylvania Loaf Sugar 13d. Pitch 16s. Tar 12s. Turpentine 22s. Tobacco 15s. to 30s. Rice 18s. Liſbon Salt 1s. 10d. Bohea Tea 5s. 3d. Hemp 5d. Cotton 2s. to 2s. 2. Bar Iron 24 l. Pig Iron 9 l. 10s.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Schooner Charming Nancy, J. Mullowny, from Halifax. Sloop Deborah, J. Waterman, and Sloop Delaware, S. Starbuck, Nantucket. Brig Patty, P. Long, Barbados.

OUTWARDS. Brig Globe, W. Parker, and Ship Yewart, R. Bowes, for Dublin. Sloop Sally, R. Joyne, and Sloop Dolphin, R. Havens, New-York. Ship St. Andrew, J. Sibbald, Madeira. Ship Princeſs of Brunſwick, T. Forwood, Piſcataqua. Brig Prince of Wales, T. Maſon, S. Carolina. Sloop Deborah, J. Waterman, Boſton. Sloop Delaware, S. Starbuck, Nantucket.

CLEARED. Ship Hawke, J. Featherſtone, and Brig Hannah, H. Stiles, to Barbados. Sloop America, J. Gorham, Boſton. Schooner Polly, R. Moore, St. Kitts. Brig Induſtry, T. Spence, Grenades. Brig Charming Peggy, W. Marſhall, Antigua.

WANTED immediately,

A PAIR of young Horſes, of about 14 Hands and a Half high, well broke for a Phæton, one of them to pace a Travel under a Saddle. Any Perſon having ſuch a Pair for Sale, may hear of a Purchaſer, by enquiring of JOHN MOODEY, at the Corner of Strawberry Alley and Cheſtnut-ſtreet, Philadelphia. §

Cheſter, ſs. March 7, 1767.

WHEREAS we the Subſcribers, Auditors, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, to audit the accompts of James M'Can, ſhopkeeper, did advertiſe ſome time ago, and little regard being paid thereto, we do hereby, once more, give notice to all perſons indebted to ſaid M'Can, to meet on the 4th day of April next, at John Hamilton's, of Newtown, Innkeeper, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to ſettle their accompts, and pay off their reſpective balances, to enable the ſaid Auditors to make diſtribution according to law. They need not expect any further indulgence, for the books will be put immediately into a Magiſtrate's hands, to ſue all delinquents. CHARLES HUMPHREYS, JESSE MARIS, ELISHA JONES. ¶

Choice LISBON WINE,
To be SOLD by
GARRETT and GEORGE MEADE.

To be SOLD *or* LETT,

On GROUND-RENT for ever,

THE following Lots of Ground in the City of *Philadelphia*, viz. Three on the South Side of *Mulberry-ſtreet*, and one on the Weſt Side of *Fifth-ſtreet*, the laſt of which begins at the Diſtance of 100 Feet from the Corner of *Mulberry-ſtreet*, being 20 Feet front by 100 deep; the others are 17 Feet 5 Inches front each, by 100 deep; the eaſtermoſt of them begins at 48 Feet from *Fifth-ſtreet* Corner. As the Ends of the Lots join, it may render them more ſuitable, either for public or private Uſes.

A large and valuable Lot of Ground, either whole, or to be divided, as may beſt ſuit for ſeveral good Settlements; being bounded as follows, viz. on the Weſt by a 10 Feet Alley, to be laid out for the Benefit of it, and the other Parts of the Eſtate; on the North by a Court Yard of 30 Feet wide, laid out at the Weſt End of the Alley, called *Carter*'s Alley; on the Eaſt by the Weſt End of the Lots in the Alley, called *Goforth*'s; and on the South by that high and broad Part of *Dock-ſtreet*, between *Walnut* and *Third-ſtreet* Bridges, it being about 100 Feet wide, and thereby is rendered a ſuitable Situation for ſome valuable public Uſe, both for the Citizens in that Quarter, and likewiſe for others, whoſe Eſtates are more remote.

TO BE LETT,

A Dwelling-houſe, with a large and commodious Diſtillery adjoining the ſame, being near the *Swedes* Church, in the Diſtrict of *Southwark*, with the South Moiety of the Lot and Wharff, on Part of which the ſame is erected, and the Stills, Worms, Tubs, and all other the Utenſils belonging to the ſaid Diſtillery. The largeſt of the Stills will hold 3300 Gallons; one of a leſſer Size, 550; and the ſmalleſt, 160 Gallons.

A large and convenient Brewery, with all the neceſſary Utenſils for carrying on the Buſineſs of a Brewer, together with a Malt-houſe adjoining thereto, being erected on a Part of the Northern Moiety of the ſaid Lot and Wharff. The Copper, which will contain 60 Barrels, and the Utenſils aforeſaid, are very little the worſe for Uſe. The Situation both of it and the Diſtillery, is deemed a very good one.

Several Paſture Lots in the ſaid Diſtrict, about Half a Mile below the City; containing from one to ten Acres.

Several valuable Water Lots, ſuitable for erecting Wharffs for Lumber Yards, and various other Purpoſes.

Several Lots, ſituate on *Front*, *Lombard*, *New-Market*, and *Third-ſtreets*, in the City, and divers on *Front*, *Second*, and *Third-ſtreets* continued, in the Diſtrict of *Southwark*, and but a few Squares below the ſaid City; and a large Number of others on *Chriſtian*, *Catherine*, *Prime*, and other good Streets in ſaid Diſtrict, Part of which ſaid Lots are propoſed to be exchanged for Materials and Workmanſhip, for building either Houſes or Wharffs in *Southwark*, or for ſuch Goods as will ſuit. For further Particulars, enquire of JOSEPH WHARTON, ſen.

N. B. Several well-diſpoſed Owners of Land in *Southwark*, for the promoting of Religion, Learning and Induſtry, as likewiſe their Intereſts and the Public's, have agreed to give Lots of Ground ſuitable for the erecting of Churches, Meeting-houſes, School-houſes, and Market-houſes thereon; and that the Market Place is already fixed, being near the Middle or Centre of the Diſtrict, and contains in length, North and South, about Twelve Hundred Feet, and in breadth One Hundred Feet. tbc 3 M.

SUSANNA GARTMAN,

Living in Fifth-ſtreet, a few Doors above Arch-ſtreet, oppoſite the Lutheran Church,

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that ſhe Waſhes and Callenders Callicoe, printed Cotton and Chints Gowns, for Ladies; and likewiſe pieces of Callicoes, Cottons and Chints, that are out of Condition, ſo as to keep their Colours perfect. §

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be ſold by public vendue, on Wedneſday, the 8th day of April next, on the premiſes, adjoining Samuel Bachman's tavern, on Cheſtnut-hill, at twelve o'clock at noon, a certain two ſtory ſtone meſſuage or tenement, and lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, containing about one acre and an half, having a ſtable, orchard and garden thereon erected, a pleaſant healthy ſituation, and very ſuitable for any kind of public buſineſs; late the eſtate of Abraham Shoemaker, deceaſed, ſeized and taken in execution by WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

N. B. The purchaſer of the above premiſes, on giving good ſecurity, may have credit for one half of the purchaſe money.

Likewiſe at the time and place aforeſaid, will be ſold as aforeſaid, a Negroe girl, about ten years old; ſundry kinds of houſhold furniture (and ſhop goods) conſiſting of feather beds, bedſteds and bedding, walnut deſks, tables, chairs, pewter, hand-irons, ſhovels and tongs, a quantity of Indian corn, and a number of empty barrels, &c. &c.

Lancaſter, March 14, 1767.

BY Virtue of His Majeſty's Writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to Sale, by public Vendue, on Monday, the 30th Inſtant, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premiſes, ſituate in Bethel Townſhip, Lancaſter County, two valuable Plantations and Tracts of Land, the one containing 230 Acres; the other 160 Acres, more or leſs; on which there is a Town erected, called Frederickſburgh, with all the Appurtenances thereto belonging; late the Property of John Snuvely, and taken in Execution by

JOHN BARR, Sheriff.

By AUTHORITY, and particular Deſire,

By the AMERICAN COMPANY,

At the new THEATRE, in Southwark, this preſent Thurſday (being the Fourth Night) will be preſented, an Engliſh COMIC OPERA, called,

LOVE in a VILLAGE.

Juſtice Woodcock, by Mr. DOUGLASS.
Hawthorn, by Mr. WOOLIS.
Young Meadows, by Mr. WALL.
Hodge, by Mr. HALLAM.
Sir William Meadows, by Mr. MORRIS.
Euſtace, by Mr. ALLYN.
Lucinda, by Miſs HALLAM.
Mrs. Deborah Woodcock, by Mrs. DOUGLASS.
Margery, by Mrs. HARMAN.
Roſetta, by Miſs WAINWRIGHT.
Servants at the Statute, by Mr. TOMLINSON, Mr. GRAVILLE, Mr. PLATT, Mrs. WALL, &c. &c.

In the Statute Scene, Dancing by Mr. GODWIN.

End of Act the Second, a Hornpipe, by Mr. MATTHEWS.

To which will be added (being the Third Night) a Farce called,

The MAYOR of GARRET.

To begin exactly at Six o'Clock.----*Vivant Rex & Regina.*

No Perſons can, on any Pretence whatſoever, be admitted behind the Scenes.----Tickets are ſold at the London Coffee-Houſe, at Mr. Francis's, at the Queen's Head, in Water-ſtreet, at Mr. George Hawkins's, in Walnut-ſtreet, and at Mrs. Scott's, in Lombard-ſtreet, where Places for the Boxes may be taken.----Ladies and Gentlemen will pleaſe to ſend their Servants at Four o'Clock, to keep their Places in the Boxes.----BOXES 7s. 6d. PIT 5s. GALLERY 3s.

ON THURSDAY, the 5th Inſtant, were found in a Lot of Mr. JACOB COOPER's, in Poplar Lane, in the Northern Liberties of the City of Philadelphia, a Gun, with ſome Womens Stockings, a Ram Rod belonging to ſome other Gun, a Razor Blade, and a few Iron Tools. The Owner applying to the Printers hereof, proving his Property in the above Goods, and paying Charges, may receive them again.

To be SOLD by publick Vendue, To-morrow, being the 20th Inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, on the Premiſes,

THE DWELLING-HOUSE in which Peter Barker now lives, with a one Story Kitchen, and two ſmall Stores, ſituate on the Weſt-ſide of Fifth-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets; the Lot on which the above ſtands is 20 Feet front, and 52 Feet deep, ſubject to a Ground-rent of Five Pounds Currency per Annum. At the ſame Time will be ſold, all ſaid Barker's Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture, conſiſting of Feather Beds, Bedſteds, Leather Bottom Chairs, Tables, a neat Deſk, a Book Caſe, Pewter, Braſs, Copper, &c. Alſo Smith's Tools, and a large Parcel of New Hooks and Hinges, with ſundry other Smith's Work.

Benſalem, Bucks County, March 16, 1767.

TO be SOLD, by Vendue, on Tueſday, the 7th of April next, on the Premiſes, a very valuable Plantation, containing 107 Acres, one Half cleared. There is a good Houſe on it, Part Brick, and Part Stone, a good Barn, Stable, a good Well of Water by the Door, a good Orchard and Garden, about 16 or 17 Acres of Meadow, and more may be made. The Plantation is commodiouſly ſituated for a Gentleman's Country Seat, or a Store, or any public Buſineſs, having a large Front and beautiful Proſpect on the River Delaware, a good bold Shore, and a healthy Air; bounded by Land of Lawrence Growdon, Eſq; Folcut Vandegrift, &c. The Title indiſputable. For further Particulars, enquire of the Owner, living on the Premiſes. LEONARD VANDEGRIFT.

N. B. The Purchaſer, paying one Half down, may have a Year for the Remainder, with Intereſt. §

Cumberland, ſſ. *March* 2, 1767.

WHEREAS Peter Blackford obtained an Attachment for the Goods and Chattels of Zaccheus Day, for a Debt not exceeding Five Pounds. Said Attachment being returned, and Freeholders appointed to take ſaid Goods and Chattels as the Law directs; I have appointed the 24th of this Inſtant, at my Houſe, for all the Creditors of the ſaid Zaccheus Day, to come and make Proof of their Demands, and receive their Proportional Share, according to their Debts. § JONATHAN HOGE.

WHEREAS James Dixſon, ſome Time ago, left an Iron grey Horſe with Martin Eighols, Tavern-keeper, in Adamſburg, Cocalicoe Townſhip, Lancaſter County, to keep him two Weeks; and the ſaid Eighols being moved away, the Horſe is now in Poſſeſſion of the Subſcriber, his Tenant; theſe are to inform ſaid Dixſon, that if he does not take ſaid Horſe away before the Firſt of April, he will then be ſold by public Vendue, for his Charges, by ¶ QUERENUSE MERNER.

To be SOLD by

ISAAC HOWELL,

At his Brewery, in Sixth-ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet,

BOTTLED BEER;

Likewiſe the different kinds of Malt Liquor, fit for immediate Uſe or Exportation.

N. B. To be LETT, near the ſaid Brew-houſe, a new Brick Tenement, with three Rooms on a Floor. For further Particulars, enquire of ¶ ISAAC HOWELL.

FOUR DOLLARS Reward.

MADE his Eſcape, on the Fifth of this inſtant March, in the Night, from the Conſtable of Concord, in Cheſter County, a Dutch Man, named Philip Butcher, about 35 Years of Age, middle Stature, well ſet, wears his own Hair, walks wide, not well dreſſed: Had on a darkiſh coloured Coat, Leather Breeches, &c. He took with him a dark brown Mare, and an old Leather Saddle, without Houſings; it is ſaid he ſerved his Time about 12 Years ago with one Hains, in Nottingham, where he married and went to Philadelphia, and lived about 5 Years, and followed the Dray Buſineſs; from thence to Providence, in Cheſter County, and lived two Years; from thence to Aſh Town, and lived two Years; and from thence to Thornbury, in ſaid County, and lived near two Years, at which laſt Place he was apprehended and taken into Cuſtody by the ſaid Conſtable, Joſeph Morrinſon, on Suſpicion of Felony. Any Perſon that will take up and ſecure ſaid Philip Butcher, in any of his Majeſty's Goals, ſo that he may be brought to Juſtice, ſhall have the above Reward of Four Dollars, paid by

JOSEPH MORRINSON.

N. B. It is ſaid that he hath been in the Practice of Thieving, and been whipped ſeveral Times, it is therefore deſired that every Lover of Juſtice, under whoſe Notice he may come, would uſe their Endeavours to have him ſecured. ‖

TO be SOLD, at public Vendue, on the 15th of April (if not ſold before at private Sale) a valuable Griſt-Mill, ſituate in Newtown, in the County of Bucks, having two Pair of Stones, three Boulting Cheſts, which go by Water, and all Things neceſſary for carrying on Merchant Work, lying in a good Part of the Country for purchaſing Wheat. Alſo to be ſold, about 12 Acres of good Land, of which 4 or 5 Acres are extraordinary good Meadow, the Remainder good plowable Land, on which there is a new Stone Houſe, with two Fireplaces, two Rooms on a Floor, and a Cellar underneath. The Purchaſer, upon giving good Security, may have 4 or 5 Years to pay the Purchaſe Money. Further Particulars will be made known on the Day of Sale, by ANTHONY TATE.

N. B. If the Purchaſer ſhould incline to have more Land with the Mill, the Subſcriber has Lots adjacent to the ſame, which he will diſpoſe of. The Title is indiſputable. §

Philadelphia, March 17, 1767.

To be SOLD, by public vendue,

On Wedneſday, the 15th of April, on the premiſes,

A Certain lot of ground, near Pool's bridge, containing in breadth on the old road leading from Philadelphia to Franckford, about 50 feet, and in depth about 120 feet; with one brick dwelling-houſe, and part of another thereon, now in the tenure of Jacob Shryner. The ſaid lot is bounded northward by a 20 feet ſtreet, leading from Front-ſtreet to Second-ſtreet continued, oppoſite the Barracks. This lot is ſubject to an annuity of nine pounds currency, payable to Mrs. Margaret Hillegas during her life, and no longer.

Alſo ten lots of ground, adjoining the above, fronting on the aforeſaid Croſs-ſtreet, leading from Front to Second-ſtreet, clear of imcumbrance.

The ſale to begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. A plan of the whole will be ſhewn at the time of ſale, or may be ſeen any time before, at the London Coffee-houſe. At 6 o'clock in the evening of the ſame day will be ſold by public vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, the reverſion of a rent-charge of Sixteen Pounds currency per annum, now payable to Margaret Hillegas, during her natural life, and no longer; which rent iſſues out of a certain lot of ground in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite the Barracks, now in the tenure of Benjamin Loxley, on which ſeveral buildings are erected. For further information, apply to the ſubſcribers, who will attend at the time of ſale. RICHARD FOOTMAN, JAMES HARDING, and CLEMENT BIDDLE.

N. B. The ſaid lots are conveniently ſituated for all kinds of tradeſmen, being ſo near the city. †

WAS STOLEN, out of the entry of Charles Moore, in Market-ſtreet, on the 28th of February, a light coloured ſhort Cloak, and a black Sattin Hood-Bonnet. Whoever ſecures the thief, ſo that he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, or Twenty Shillings for the cloak and bonnet, paid by CHARLES MOORE.

From the BOSTON GAZETTE, March 2.

In a Debate in a very reſpectable Aſſembly laſt Friday, an Extract of an anonymous Letter, ſaid to be written in England, was read, which concluded with the following Words, "*So that if your Aſſembly will ſuffer themſelves to be led by that very abſurd, ignorant Firebrand, he may bring them into a worſe Scrape than they can imagine.*"

Upon which it was Reſolved,

"That the Words were an high Inſult, and in Breach of Privilege; and that the Perſon who wrote them, was an Enemy to this Province."

Meſſieurs PRINTERS,

The following is ſaid to be a genuine Copy of a very dirty, anonymous Extract, ſaid to be taken from a Letter from one ------ in London, to another ------ in Boſton.

Extract of a Letter from London, to a Gentleman in Boſton, dated December 13, 1766.

"THERE is a ſpirit riſing in Parliament very different from that which prevailed during the laſt Seſſion. It was then made the Shibboleth of party to ſupport all the American claims, and Mr. Pitt's extreme animoſity againſt his brother, led him to condemn every thing he had done, merely becauſe it was his doing. He now ſeems to be recovering himſelf, and one of the firſt offers Lord Chatham made in his negociation the other day with the D. of Bedford, was to maintain the King's authority in all his dominions.

Yeſterday he ſpoke a language of the ſame ſort in the houſe of Lords. The rioting againſt the cuſtom houſe officers in your province, was mentioned in the houſe of Commons early in the Seſſion, when the Chancellor of the Ex----r declared in the ſtrongeſt terms, that ſo long as he was in office, he would not ſuffer the authority of the King's laws to be trampled upon, and that he thought it the higheſt injury to the nation, to ſuffer the acts of the Britiſh Parliament to be broken with impunity. And the whole houſe ſeemed animated with the ſame ſpirit, ſo that if your aſſembly will ſuffer themſelves to be led by that very abſurd, ignorant Firebrand, he may bring them into a worſe ſcrape than they can imagine."

HAD the Hon. H---e of R-----s gone much further in their Cenſures of this ungenerous Libel, and its Author, no one, it is thought, could have charged them with too great Severity---It certainly appears to be calculated and deſigned to throw an Odium on as wiſe a Miniſtry as ever a Sovereign was bleſſed with, I mean that Miniſtry which ſerved his Majeſty the laſt Winter, and until the Repeal of the Stamp-Act---It expreſly, and with a Degree of Malignity, characteriſes the Friends and Patrons of America, by the Name of a Party, and affirms of Mr. PITT, in particular, now Lord Chatham, as acting not from the exalted Principles of Patriotiſm, and Love of his Country, but from a low and degenerate Spirit of Oppoſition and Revenge---It aims at exciting a Jealouſy of his Majeſty's preſent Miniſtry in the Minds of his moſt loyal and affectionate Subjects in America, as if they were no longer conſidered by them in their real unblemiſhed Character, but as diſaffected to his Majeſty's Government, and diſpoſed to treat his Laws, and the Authority of the Parliament, with Contempt----It is evidently deſigned to deſtroy, if poſſible, all that Harmony and Affection between the happy Subjects of the ſame Prince in Great-Britain and America, which, it muſt be ſaid, in Juſtice to the preſent Houſe of Repreſentatives, they have given the moſt inconteſtible Proofs of their Determination, in ſpite of the moſt unparallelled Ingratitude, as well as Abuſe on this Side the Water, to cultivate and confirm----It reflects the moſt contumelious Reproach and Slander on that patriotic Aſſembly, agreeable, indeed, to the Manner in which they were treated at the opening of their firſt Seſſion, for acting with an Independency in their Elections, unexampled for Years paſt, and for vindicating and maintaining their own PRIVILEGES, and the RIGHTS of their Conſtituents, againſt repeated Attacks upon both: With the inſolent Air of diſappointed Malice and Revenge, when the Firmneſs and Stability of the Houſe could not be ſhaken, when they could not be prevailed upon to yield to the inſatiable Demands of Ambition, and a Luſt of Power, they are repreſented by this dirty concealed Writer, as being either a Sett of Incendiaries themſelves, or as weak and wicked enough to be led by one of ſuch a Character.---This is the temper of the remaining Dregs of a Party, who, not a Twelvemonth ago, were exerting every Nerve to enſlave this Continent, but failed in their Attempt---ſtill they are venting their Malice and Spleen---but let them beware, leſt they ſoon convince the World of what has been long ſuſpected, that they are the Enemies not of this Province alone, but of their Sovereign too."

NEW YORK.

March 16. One Rogers, a Soldier, in the 46th Regiment, was condemned to be ſhot for Deſertion laſt Thurſday; but he ſaved his Comrades the Trouble of putting the Sentence in Execution, by making his Eſcape out of the Fort about 3 o'Clock on Thurſday Morning, notwithſtanding he was in Irons in a Cloſe Room.

We had extreme cold Weather for ſome Days paſt, and it is ſaid laſt Friday was colder by two Degrees than any Day we had all laſt Winter.

Baltimore Town, Feb. 26, 1767.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, living in Baltimore Town, an Engliſh Servant Man, named William Thompſon, a Joyner by Trade, about 30 Years of Age, has very little Beard, wears his own Hair, of a black Colour, tied behind, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high; had on, when he went away, a blue Broadcloth Coat, without Lining, with yellow Metal Buttons, a white Cotton Jacket, and brown Broadcloth Breeches; he is very apt to get drunk, and brags much of his Trade when he is drunk; it is ſuppoſed that he wrote himſelf a Paſs, as being free from me the Subſcriber. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and commits him to any Goal, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall receive the above Reward, and if brought Home, reaſonable Charges paid by me

† WILLIAM HOFFMAN.

WHEREAS a certain HEZEKIAH RODGERS, late of Marſhfield, in the County of Glouceſter, in England, and by Trade a Blackſmith, did come over to Pennſylvania, and ſome Time ago reſided in Maxfield Townſhip, Bucks County; this ſerves therefore to inform the ſaid Hezekiah, if he be living, that by acquainting the Printers hereof, and of his Place of Reſidence, he may hear the particular Reaſons for this Enquiry after him; and any Perſon informing the Printers of the Death of the ſaid Hezekiah, and how long ſince he died, the Trouble in ſuch Information will be thankfully acknowledged. ¶

N. B. The ſaid Hezekiah Rodgers was Son of Ezekiel Rodgers, of the ſaid County of Glouceſter, in England, Blackſmith.

For CHARLESTOWN, SOUTH-CAROLINA.

The BRIG
PRINCE of WALES,
THOMAS MASON,
MASTER;

Is now ready to take Goods on board, & will ſail as ſoon as poſſible. For Freight or Paſſage apply to Captain GEORGE NOARTH, ALEXANDER LUNAN, or ſaid Maſter, at Mr. Clifford's Wharff.

TO BE SOLD,

A *NEGROE BOY*, 14 *years old. Likewiſe a* MULATTOE GIRL, 11 *years of age. Enquire at Captain* GORDON's, *in Arch-ſtreet, oppoſite the Church burying-ground.* *

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

A VALUABLE grist mill, with two pair of ſtones, and three boulting cloths, and a turning lathe, hoiſting all by water, with a good two ſtory dwelling-houſe, 4 rooms on a floor, a cellar under the whole, with two kitchens, and a well of good water at the door; a good barn, ſtables, ſtore-houſe, and ſmoak-houſe, with a good landing, and ſtore-houſe at the ſame, ſufficient to contain 300 barrels of flour, where a ſhallop may load at the door, that can carry 200 barrels of flour; alſo a ſmall dwelling-houſe for the miller, and ſpring-houſe, and cooper's ſhop, with about 100 acres of land, one half of the ſame meadow, and the remainder fit for the plough, and in fence, it is pleaſantly ſituated on the great road that leads from Trenton to Croſwicks and Allen-town, and on the road that leads from Princetown to the above landing, on a conſtant ſtream of water, the whole in good repair, and in a public place for the buſineſs of keeping ſtore, where there may be great plenty of wheat had, it being two miles from Croſwicks, 6 from Trenton, 12 from Princetown, 6 from Allentown, and 3 from Bordentown. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſame, may apply to JOSEPH SCHOLEY, living near the ſaid premiſes, or to the ſubſcriber, living at Sharp's iron-worke, in Suſſex county, New-Jerſey.

ABIA BROWN.

N. B. There is a good young bearing apple orchard on the premiſes. The title is indiſputable. † 3 M.

Philadelphia, March 9, 1767.

SIXTEEN DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away Yeſterday Morning, a Dutch indented Servant Man, named Philip Nold, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, broad ſet, with black Hair; has a large hairy Mole, and two ſmaller Ones, on one Side of his Face; had on, and took with him, when he went away, a dark coarſe Broadcloth Coat and Waiſtcoat, with flat white Metal Buttons, Buckſkin Breeches almoſt new, blue grey ribbed Stockings, Channel Boots, and a Pair of Shoes, both half worn, two new Shirts, made of Ruſſia Sheeting, and an old Beaver Hat. He ſpeaks French, Dutch and Engliſh; was in the Army in this Country ſome Years ago, and may perhaps produce ſome old Paſs, or his former old Indentures, in order to deceive. Whoever ſecures ſaid Runaway, ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have Eight Dollars Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

BENJAMIN KENDALL.

ALSO run away with the above mentioned Servant, John George Herman, has black ſtrait Hair, and a large flat Face, with blue Pimples on it: Had on a coarſe blue Coat, lined with red, a white Jacket, with black Spots, and Sleeves to it, a Pair of blue grey wove Stockings, new Buckſkin Breeches, and a coarſe Soldier's Hat; ſpeaks good French and Dutch. Whoever ſecures ſaid Runaway, ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have Eight Dollars Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

PHILIP MOSES.

N. B. It is probable they will both change their Names.

TO COVER,

At THOMAS HOPKINS's, in Kenſington (about one mile from Philadelphia) at Three Pounds the ſeaſon.

The HORSE

BOHEMIAN.

HE is ſeven years old next ſummer----a clear ſilver grey, full fifteen hands three inches high, well made, free from blemiſh, remarkable for an exceeding grand carriage, and is in perfect health. He was got by Othello (the ſire of Selim, and many other famous horſes) out of a mare full fifteen hands high, now belonging to Governor Sharpe---She was got by a full bred horſe belonging to Col. Colville, and out of a mare of the blood---Col. Colville's horſe was got by a Barb, and out of a mare imported from England, bred by Lord Tankerville. His ſpeed is not known, as he has never been tried; but he is remarkable for getting large foals, ſome of them now under two years old, meaſuring full fifteen hands high, and are eſteemed by all who have ſeen them, to be as fine colts as have ever been bred in this province. †

TO BE LETT,

A CONVENIENT and well accuſtomed Brew-houſe, and Malt-houſe; alſo the Dwelling-houſe adjoining, ſituate in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets; all in good Repair, and may be entered on immediately. Any Perſon inclining to rent the above, may apply to the Subſcriber, who now occupies the ſame. MARCY GRAY. ‡

ON Monday, the 2d Inſtant, five Silver Spoons, marked E. F. were ſtolen out of the Houſe of JOHN BRANT, at the Sign of the Daniſh Flag, on Society-Hill, by a Perſon that went by the Name of James Withrington; he is ſlender made, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, has black Hair, tied behind, looked as if he had juſt come from the Country, and ſpoke with the Brogue. He had on a white Cloth Coat, blue Waiſtcoat, with a white Lining, a black Handkerchief round his Neck, white Shirt, Buckſkin Breeches, black Stockings, and a Pair of blue ribbed Ditto over them, and round carved Silver Shoe Buckles. He had a Watch, with a large white Seal to it, and wore his Hat flapped before. He ſhewed a Number of new Guineas and Dollars, and had a new Worſted worked Pocket-Book. He ſaid he came from Trenton in a Shallop with Corn, and that his Father lived on the Plantation adjoining Mr. Allen's Iron-works. Whoever takes up ſaid Perſon, and ſecures him, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by § JOHN BRANT.

Hilltown, Bucks county, March 14, 1767.

LOST on the 7th of June laſt, by the ſubſcriber, between Third and Market-ſtreets, in Philadelphia, the DEED for his land, containing about 60 acres; and as it can be of no benefit to any one but the owner, if the perſon who found it will give notice thereof, he ſhall be intitled to a reward of Forty Shillings, and the favour gratefully acknowledged by

¶ JOHN JONES.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE Plantation, ſituate in Sadſbury Townſhip, Cheſter County, containing 151 Acres, one Half thereof cleared, 25 Acres of very good Meadow made, and more may be made; the Upland is good for Grain or Paſture, with a good Orchard, and a good Stone Dwelling-houſe, two Stories high, and three Rooms on a Floor, a good Log Barn, Stables, and other Out-houſes; there is alſo on the Premiſes a good Merchant Mill, on a conſtant Stream, and in good Credit, ſituate in as good a Place as any Mill in the Country for being always ſupplied with the beſt of Wheat, and handy to ſeveral Landings; the Situation is both healthy and pleaſant. For further Particulars, enquire of the Subſcriber, living on ſaid Place.

§ 6 W. THOMAS DUNN.

TO BE SOLD,

TWO two Story Brick Houſes, and one three Story Ditto, on the North Side of an Alley, a little above Joſeph Fox, Eſq; in Third-ſtreet, and adjoining the Friend's Burying Ground. The two firſt are 14 by 14 Feet, and the laſt 12 by 17 Feet. Any Perſon having Inclination for the whole or ſeparate, may be further informed, by applying to MATTHIAS LABOLT, living in one of the ſaid Houſes.

To be LETT by the SUBSCRIBER,

A GRIST-MILL, and Saw-mill, ſituate in the Townſhip of Plymouth, Philadelphia County, 15 Miles from Philadelphia, about one Mile above Spring-mills, and two Miles from Plymouth Meeting-houſe, with two Pair of Stones, one Pair for Merchant Work, and the other for Country Work, all in good Repair, and lies very convenient for taking in Wheat; with a good Dwelling-houſe, Stable, and a Piece of Meadow to it; late the Property of Windel Witeman, deceaſed. The Terms will be made known, by applying to the Subſcriber, living on the Premiſes.

¶ HESTER WITEMAN, Adminiſtratrix.

STRAYED away from the Plantation of the Subſcriber, in Chriſtiana Hundred, New-Caſtle County, the 9th of December laſt, a ſmall grey Gelding, ſhod before, a Trotter, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock O. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Horſe, and ſends Word, ſo that the Owner may have him again, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by EMPSON BIRD. ‡

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, of Hilltown township, Bucks county, about the firſt of March inſtant, a certain Negroe man, named Phill, about 20 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, well ſet, ſpeaks broken Engliſh; had on, when he went away, a lightiſh coloured coat, a linſey under jacket, old ſhoes, and new ſtockings; and took with him a pair of large ſilver buckles, two ſilk handkerchiefs, and a new ſhirt. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Negroe, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Three Dollars reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by me § THOMAS JONES, ſenior.

N. B. He took two other Coats with him, of a yelloviſh and Aſh Colour, and was ſeen, with the yellow coloured Coat on him, between Newtown and Philadelphia.

Leacock, Lancaſter County, March 4, 1767.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

MADE his Eſcape from Samuel Finley, Conſtable, Cornelius M'Murphy, a Taylor by Trade, born in the County of Antrim in Ireland; about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, pale Viſage, dark Complexion, with black curled Hair; had on, when he went away, a blue Serge Coat, Leather Breeches, white Shirt, Woollen Stockings, old Shoes, with ſquare Silver Buckles; he has a Silver Watch with a Steel Chain; ſuppoſed to have taken with him a Sky-blue coloured Coat, and a Silk Orange coloured Jacket, with Flounces down the Breaſts and Skirts; one Pair of new Pumps, a Beaver Hat, and other Clothes not known; he has one of his Fingers on his Left Hand a little crooked by a Swelling lately in it; he worked down by Smith's Furnace at his Trade; when he drinks much his Face gets very red. Whoever takes up ſaid Fellow, and ſecures him in any of his Majeſty's Goals, ſhall receive the above Reward, paid by SAMUEL FINLEY, *or* BENJAMIN VERNOR.

N. B. All Perſons are forewarned not to harbour the above Perſon, and all Maſters of Veſſels are forbid to carry him off, at their Peril. ‖

Cæcil County, Maryland.

ON Wedneſday, the 25th of March, at the late dwelling-houſe of Colonel PETER BAYARD, on Bohemia, will be ſold by public vendue, all the houſhold furniture of the deceaſed, conſiſting of a variety of very valuable articles, many of them almoſt new; the negroe men, women and children; the carts, waggons, plows, and other farming utenſils; with all the ſtock of horſes, cows, ſheep, hogs, &c. The terms of the vendue will be made known at the opening of the ſales.

JONATHAN B. SMITH.

TO be SOLD, by public vendue, at the London Coffee-Houſe, the latter end of March, or the beginning of April (the public to be hereafter notified of the particular time) the SQUARE OF GROUND *where the Alms-Houſe ſtands, divided into building lots; a plan of which ſhall be exhibited at the ſaid Coffee-Houſe, and John Biddle's. The terms of payment are as follow; one fourth to be paid at ſigning the deed, another fourth in ſix months, and the remainder in one year from the time of ſale, without intereſt; or the laſt payment to be changed into a ground-rent, equal to intereſt of money, redeemable at any time within ſeven years from the ſale aforeſaid.*

To be SOLD,

AT publick vendue, on Friday, the 20th day of March inſtant, a valuable plantation, ſituate in the Hundred and county of New-Caſtle, on Delaware, containing 145 acres, more or leſs, bounded on the weſt by the provincial road leading from Pennſylvania to Maryland, and on the eaſt by the river Delaware, on which is a good brick houſe, a log barn, 8 acres of improved marſh, and 15 acres unimproved; the whole under eaſy circumſtances of banking. A breviate of the title, and the terms of ſale, will be ſhewn at one o'clock on ſaid day, on the premiſes; where attendance will be given by

¶ ROBERT BRYAN.

TO be SOLD on the 25th of this inſtant March, by publick vendue, a tenement and lot of land, ſituate in Moreland, on the Old York Road, where the Durham Road branches out, at the ſign of the Red Lion, about 14 miles from Philadelphia, containing 10 acres, with a good ſtone houſe and kitchen, out-houſes and ſtables, and a good orchard and garden thereon; the which has been a licenſed tavern for many years paſt, very conveniently ſituated for cuſtom in that buſineſs; together with three other pieces of land nearly adjoining the aforeſaid lot; one containing 33 acres and a half, the half of it meadow ground; another contains about 5 acres, which is good meadow; the third piece contains 50 acres, the greateſt part good woodland, the whole in good repair; the title indiſputable; it will be ſold altogether, or apart, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer, and may be entered upon immediately after ſale; where alſo will be ſold, corn in the ground, cattle and houſhold furniture. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, who, by long ſickneſs in his family, finds himſelf uncapable to give ſuch attendance as a publick houſe of entertainment neceſſarily requires. The ſale to begin at 10 o'clock, where attendance, and reaſonable credit, will be given. JOHN M'GLAUGHLIN. ✲

JOHN HOLLIDAY, TAYLOR,

Late from London, next Door to Mr. Samuel Head, in Arch-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets,

UNDERTAKES to make Clothes in the neateſt and neweſt Faſhion; any Gentlemen that ſhall be pleaſed to favour him with their Commands, he flatters himſelf will not be diſappointed in their Expectations, as he has been Foreman and Cutter-out to ſome of the moſt eminent Maſter-Taylors in London, and never tires Gentlemen with trying and altering their Clothes.

Mr. Holliday humbly begs Leave to refer to thoſe Gentlemen who have favoured him with their Commands, ſince the Commencement of this Advertiſement, as their Approbation has been equal to his higheſt Expectation.

Mrs. Holliday's new-invented curious Compound will, in Half a Minute, take out by the Roots Hair which grows too low or irregular on the Forehead and Temples, on the Arms, or between the Eyebrows, and Hair which grows on Ladies Cheeks, or round the Mouth. It forms the Eyebrows that are too large into a curious Arch, without Hurt to the fineſt Skin; and is ſo very innocent, that it is uſed to Children under 20 Months old. She ſells this uſeful Compound at Ten Shillings an Ounce; no leſs Quantity is ſold. ¶ 5s. Tbc.

TO be exposed to SALE by publick vendue, at the Coffee-houſe, Philadelphia, on the 23d inſtant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a PLANTATION, containing 220 acres of land, pleaſantly ſituated on Octorara Creek, chiefly in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, about 15 acres of plow-land cleared, with a young orchard; about 20 acres of meadow made, chiefly watered, under timothy and clover graſs, and at leaſt 30 more may be made, and readily watered, the ſtreams never failing, and the ground good; the fences are in good repair. There is on ſaid place a good mill, the mill-houſe built with ſtone and lime, hath 2 pair of ſtones, boulting cloths, &c. all in good order and credit for merchant and country work, well accuſtomed for both, and ſo ſituate, as not to be hindered by froſt or back water, nor for want of water, and lies well for trade, being but 25 miles from Chriſtine landing, in a wheat country, as well as on the road for wheat that comes over Saſquehanna, at ſeveral ferries, as Peach Bottom, Fulton's, &c. 9 or 10 miles diſtant; with a dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtabling, houſe for the miller, good ſmith's ſhop, and ſickle-mill, a fine conveniency for a fulling-mill. A third part of the purchaſe money to be paid at the time of ſale, one third part in 6 months after, and the remainder a year from the time of ſale.

§ JOSEPH HEWES.

To be Sold by public Vendue, on the 25th Day of March next,

A Saw-mill, and a good new Griſt-mill, with two Pair of Stones, two Water Wheels, and boults by Water, 10 Acres of Land thereunto belonging, a good Dwelling-houſe, and a large Stable on the Premiſes; is ſituated on a very good Stream called Upper Bare Brook, in Windſor Townſhip, Middleſex County, New-Jerſey; is handy to both Philadelphia and New-York Markets. Alſo a Tract of Land, containing 174 Acres, joining the Mills, with a new Dwelling-houſe, a good Log Kitchen, a large Barn, a good large young Orchard, containing near 200 Apple Trees, and 20 or 30 Acres of Meadow may be made. Likewiſe another Tract of Land, containing upwards of 300 Acres, with a Cedar Log-houſe, and a young Orchard, about 10 Acres of Meadow cleared fit for the Scythe, and 100 more may be made; it lies in Nottingham Townſhip, Burlington County, and Province aforeſaid. The Vendue to begin at 10 o'Clock at ſaid Mills. ¶ 5 W.

Cheſter Town, Maryland, February 2, 1767.

TO be SOLD at public Vendue, to the higheſt Bidder, on the 10th of April next, for either Pennſylvania Currency, or Bills of Exchange, 1500 Acres of well timbered Land, being in Kent County, in Maryland, and ſituated between the Rivers of Cheſter and Saſſafras, and within 16 Miles of Duck Creek Landing. The aforeſaid Land will be ſold as may be moſt agreeable to the Purchaſers, either in Lots of 200 or 300 Acres, or larger Quantities. The Sale will be held at a Houſe on the Premiſes, within about one Mile of Mr. Dennis Dulany's Dwelling-houſe; credit will be given for one Half the Purchaſe Money, on giving Security, if required, and Payment of Intereſt. Any Perſon inclinable to treat for any of the aforeſaid Land before the Day of Sale, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to Mr. DENNIS DULANY, Mr. JAMES M'LAUCHLAN, Dr. JOHN SCOTT, Mr ALEXANDER CALDER, or the Subſcriber, in Cheſter Town. The Title is indiſputable.

MARY CALDER, Executrix of Capt. James Calder deceaſed.

Germantown, 1767.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber,

AN Exceeding fine and pleaſant ſituated Lot for a Gentleman's Country Seat, in the upper Part of Germantown, ſituate on the main Street, in the beſt Part of Germantown to carry on any extenſive publick Buſineſs or Trade whatſoever. The ſaid Lot containing between 2 and 3 Acres of Land, having a large commodious 2 Story Stone Houſe, a large Stone Kitchen, and good Stabling thereon, and other Conveniences and Improvements, with a large and very pleaſant ſituated Garden, great Part thereof planted with the beſt Sorts of Pear, Plumb, Apricot and Nut Trees, and other curious and rareſt Sorts of Fruit, and flowering Trees, as well as moſt Sorts of Garden Curioſities, having alſo a fine thriving Orchard, of 20 Years planting, of the beſt Apples, and the reſt is very good Graſs Land. Its pleaſant Situation will, on View, ſufficiently recommend it for a Seat of Pleaſure, as well as for carrying on any Trade or Shop [which is now kept there] or for a Tavern, or other Buſineſs whatever.

ALSO to be Sold, ſundry near adjacent Lots of very good Graſs Land. The Terms of Sale may be known at ſaid Place, of ⊖ 6 W. CHRISTIAN LEHMAN.

To be SOLD,

A VALUABLE piece or parcel of land, ſituate in Radnor townſhip, Cheſter county, with a ſaw mill thereon erected, containing about 40 acres, adjoining the lands of John Mathers, Joſeph Miles, John Evans, and others; about 12 or 13 miles from Philadelphia; there is on the premiſes a log dwelling-houſe; ſix or ſeven acres cleared, the remainder well timbered. A very conſtant ſtream of water running above 100 perches through the premiſes, with ſo advantageous a fall, as would anſwer the ends of the purchaſer in erecting thereon what mills he ſaw convenient. The Land is very good for grain of any ſort; and good meadow may be made thereon. The title indiſputable. For further particulars, enquire of Samuel Harry, in Radnor aforeſaid, or of Muſgrove Evans, in Philadelphia.

N. B. If the above deſcribed land and mill ſhould not be ſold before the 20th day of March next, it will then be ſold at public ſale, on the premiſes, about 10 o'clock on ſaid day; when due attendance ſhall be given, and the conditions of ſale made known, by ‡ MUSGROVE EVANS.

TO BE SOLD,

A GOOD plantation, containing 142 acres of land, about 50 acres of woodland, the reſt cleared, ſituated in the townſhip of Upper Providence, Cheſter county, 14 miles from the city of Philadelphia, convenient to market; there is on it a ſtone dwelling-houſe, with 5 fire places in it, cellars, kitchen, a good barn, ſtable, cow-houſe, a ſpring of good water, and a ſtone houſe over it, a good orchard, all in good repair, pleaſantly ſituated on a publick road, leading from ſeveral parts of the country to Philadelphia; alſo to moſt places of worſhip; there is on it about 20 acres of good meadow, with plenty of water for the whole; the plow land good for grain and graſs. Alſo to be ſold, a plantation whereon the ſubſcriber lives, in Marple Townſhip, Cheſter county, 11 miles from the city of Philadelphia, containing 192 acres of land, 70 or 80 acres of wood land, the reſt cleared, very convenient to market, and to moſt places of worſhip; there is a ſtone dwelling-houſe, with 4 fire places, cellar, kitchen, a large frame barn, ſtables, cow-houſe, a ſpring of good water near the door, and houſe over it, an orchard; all in good repair, pleaſantly ſituated on the publick road leading to the city of Philadelphia; there is on it 30 acres of good meadow, and plenty of water, a ſeat for a griſt or hemp mill, or both, the plow-land good for grain and graſs. The terms of payment will be made eaſy, and both places may be entered on the 1ſt day of April next. For terms of ſale, enquire of the ſubſcriber, living in Marple. § LAWRENCE HOWARD.

To be SOLD by

Captain JOHN SIBBALD

Oppoſite the New-Market,

GOOD Old Madeira Wine, Jamaica Spirit, and Arrack, Wholeſale and Retail. ⅁ 8 W.

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Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

Original letter from the younger VILLIERS, *Duke of* BUCKINGHAM, *upon his death-bed, to the Rev. Dr.* W----.

Dear DOCTOR,

I ALWAYS looked upon you as a man of true virtue, and know you to be a perſon of ſound underſtanding; for however I may have acted in oppoſition to the principles of religion, or the dictates of reaſon, I can honeſtly aſſure you, I had always the higheſt veneration for both. The world and I may now ſhake hands, for I dare affirm we are heartily weary of one another. O Doctor, what a prodigal have I been of that moſt valuable of all poſſeſſions, Time! I have ſquandered it away with a profuſion unparallelled; and now that the enjoyment of a few days would be worth a hecatomb of worlds, I cannot flatter myſelf with a proſpect of half a dozen hours.

How deſpicable, my dear friend, is that man, who never prays to his God but in the time of diſtreſs!----In what manner can he ſupplicate that omnipotent being, in his affliction, with reverence, whom, in the tide of his proſperity, he never remembered with dread?----Don't brand me with infidelity, my dear Doctor, when I tell you, I am almoſt aſhamed to offer up my petitions at the throne of grace, or of imploring that divine mercy in the next world, which I have ſo ſcandalouſly abuſed in this!---Shall ingratitude to man be looked upon as the blackeſt of crimes, and not ingratitude to God? Shall an inſult offered to the King, be looked upon in the moſt offenſive light, and yet no notice be taken when the King of kings is treated with indignity and diſreſpect!

The companions of my former libertiniſm would ſcarcely believe their eyes, my dear Doctor, were you to ſhew them this epiſtle. They would laugh at me as a dreaming enthuſiaſt, or pity me as a timorous wretch, who was ſhocked at the appearance of futurity. But whoever laughs at me for being right, or pities me for being ſenſible of my errors, is more intitled to my compaſſion than my reſentment.------A future ſtate may very well ſtrike terror into any man who has not acted well in this life; and he muſt have an uncommon ſhare of courage indeed, who does not ſhrink at the preſence of his God.

You ſee, my dear Doctor, the apprehenſion of death will ſoon bring the moſt profligate to a proper uſe of their underſtanding.---To what a ſituation am I now reduced!---Is this odious little hut a ſuitable lodging for a prince? or is this anxiety of my mind becoming the characteriſtic of a Chriſtian? From my rank and fortune, I might have expected affluence to wait upon my life; from my religion and underſtanding, peace to ſmile upon my end; inſtead of which I am afflicted with poverty, and haunted with remorſe; deſpiſed by my country, and, I fear, forſaken by my God!---There is nothing ſo dangerous, my dear Doctor, as extraordinary abilities.---I cannot be accuſed of vanity now, by being ſenſible I was once poſſeſſed of uncommon qualifications, more eſpecially as I ſincerely regret that I was ever bleſſed with any at all.---My rank in life made theſe accompliſhments ſtill more conſpicuous; and, faſcinated with the general applauſe which they procured, I never conſidered about the proper means by which they ſhould be diſplayed; hence, to purchaſe a ſmile from a blockhead I deſpiſed, have I frequently treated the virtuous with diſreſpect; and ſported with the holy name of Heaven, to obtain a laugh from a parcel of fools, who were intitled to nothing but my contempt.

Your men of wit, my dear Doctor, generally look upon themſelves as diſcharged from the duties of religion, and confine the doctrines of the goſpel to people of meaner underſtandings; it is a ſort of deregation, in their opinion, to comply with the rules of Chriſtianity; and they reckon that man poſſeſſed of a narrow genius, who ſtudies to be good.---What a pity that the holy writings are not made the criterion of true judgment! or that any one ſhould paſs for a fine gentleman in this world, but he that ſeems ſolicitous about his happineſs in the next!

My dear Doctor, I am forſaken by all my acquaintance, utterly neglected by the friends of my boſom, and the dependents of my bounty; but no matter.---I am not now fit to converſe with the firſt, and have no ability to ſerve the latter; let me not be caſt off wholly, however, by the good; favour me with a viſit, dear Doctor, as ſoon as poſſible; writing to you gives me ſome eaſe, eſpecially upon a ſubject I could talk of for ever.---I am of opinion this is the laſt viſit I ſhall ever ſolicit from you.---My diſtemper is powerful; come and pray for the departing ſpirit of the unhappy

BUCKINGHAM.

BOSTON, March 9.

Saturday laſt the Honourable His Majeſty's Council ſent the following Meſſage to the Honourable Houſe of Repreſentatives, viz.

In Council, March 7, 1767.

Ordered, That *William Brattle, Harriſon Gray, Samuel White,* and *Jeremiah Powell*, Eſquires, be a Committee to wait on the Honourable Houſe with the following Meſſage.

A. OLIVER, Secretary.

May it pleaſe the Honourable Houſe,

THE Council having, at a very full Board, taken into conſideration the Meſſage of the Honourable Houſe of the 5th Inſtant, relative to the Lieutenant Governor's having a Seat at the Council Board, put the following Queſtion, Whether the Lieutenant Governor has by the Charter any conſtitutional Right to a Seat at the Board, either with or without a Voice? And it was unanimouſly determined in the Negative.

However, in Juſtice to the Lieutenant Governor, we are conſtrained to obſerve, that his Honour's taking a Seat in Council at the Time referred to in the Meſſage of the Honourable Houſe, is ſo far excuſeable, as former Precedents, and one contemporaneous with the Charter, can juſtify.

Further, the Board cannot but expreſs their great Surprize, allowing, with the Honourable Houſe, that the Lieutenant Governor's Claim may nearly affect our Charter Rights and Privileges, the Maintenance and Support of which demand the Attention of every Branch of the Legiſlature, that the Honourable Houſe ſhould excluſively, and without aſking the Aſſiſtance of the Board, ſettle that important Matter on the 31ſt of laſt January, never mentioning the ſame to the Board until the 24th of February laſt.

But the Board aſſure the Honourable Houſe, that no Neglect or Slight whatſoever, ſhall ever prevent them, either with the Honourable Houſe, or apart, ſincerely endeavouring the Preſervation of the conſtitutional Charter Rights of His Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects of this Province."

We hear that Mr. William Frobiſher, of this Town, Soapboiler, has made a Proceſs with Pot-Aſh in making the beſt of Hard Soap, which has not hitherto been practiſed in England. Samples of which he purpoſes to ſend Home, and if approved of, as is highly probable, will prevent the Importation of Barilla Aſh from Spain, which they before made Uſe of, and will take off from the Colonies near 20 Tons of Pot-Aſh to one that the Soft Soap Makers uſe. Said Frobiſher has given out that he can reduce Pot-Aſh to a certain Standard; if ſo, it is worthy the Conſideration of the Guardians of this People.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE Plantation or Tract of Land, in Donnegal Townſhip, Lancaſter County, containing about 400 Acres, with a free Patent for the ſame, pleaſantly ſituated on the River Saſquehannah, with better than Half a Mile front on ſaid River; there are already erected on ſaid Tract, two good Dwelling-houſes, two Barns, Stables and Outhouſes, &c. Half a Mile diſtant from each other, very fit for two Farms; the whole of the clear Land is within good Fence, a ſufficient Quantity being cleared for both Places; on the Part where the Subſcriber lives is a good Orchard of grafted Trees, a valuable Hop-yard, with a good Kiln thereunto belonging; the whole is ſtored with abundance of good Timber; there is a large and convenient Stream of Water running through ſaid Land, ſufficient for almoſt any Kind of Water Works; a Race is already drawn from ſaid Stream near a Mile, by which may be watered a large Quantity of Meadow, about 10 Acres already clear, and yields good Hay; there is a great Part of ſaid Land that will bear Hemp. For further Particulars, and Terms of Sale, enquire of the Subſcriber, living on the above Premiſes.

¶ PATRICK WORK.

IN purſuance of an order of orphan's court, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, on the eleventh day of April next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a certain meſſuage or tenement, and water lot, or piece of ground, ſituate on the eaſt-ſide of Water-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth 21 feet, and extending eaſtward into the river Delaware, to the diſtance of 250 feet; bounded eaſtward by the ſaid river; ſouthward by a fourteen feet alley; weſtward by Water-ſtreet aforeſaid; and northward by Matthias Aſpden's ground; together with the wharff and ſtores thereon, and thereunto belonging. Alſo one other lot or piece of ground, ſituate on the weſt-ſide of the Thirteenth-ſtreet from the river Delaware, and on the north-ſide of Pine-ſtreet, in the ſaid city, containing in breadth, on the ſaid Thirteenth-ſtreet, 234 feet, and in length on Pine-ſtreet aforeſaid, 264 feet, having a ſmall building erected thereon. Alſo a certain other city lot, ſituate on or near the river Schuylkill. And alſo 10 acres of liberty land, ſituate in the townſhip of Blockley, bounded by lands of James Jones, Samuel Hazell, and others, late the eſtate of Samuel Houſe, late of the ſaid city of Philadelphia merchant, deceaſed. MARY HOUSE, ISAAC STRETCH, adminiſtrat.

ALL perſons that have any demands againſt the eſtate of Samuel Houſe deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts to the ſubſcribers; and thoſe that are indebted to the eſtate, are deſired to pay forthwith, as the adminiſtrators will be under the diſagreeable neceſſity to proceed againſt them as the law directs.

§ MARY HOUSE, ISAAC STRETCH.

WHEREAS Iſaac Andrews, Biddle Reves, Thomas Wilſon, and others, intend to preſent a Petition to the Houſe of General Aſſembly, of the Province of New-Jerſey, at their next Sitting, for a Law to oblige the Owners and Poſſeſſors of the Meadow and Swamp, lying on Ramboe's Run, in the County of Glouceſter, to contribute their proportionable Share in repairing and maintaining the Dam, Banks, &c. ſo that it may be kept dry; this therefore is to deſire all Perſons who have any Objections thereto, that they appear at the ſaid General Aſſembly, then and there to produce their Reaſons for ſuch Objections. ¶

WHEREAS a certain MALCOM M'FARLANE, on Suſpicion of being a Runaway Servant, was committed to Lancaſter Goal, the 6th Day of November laſt, and being examined at laſt Orphan's Court, before the Juſtices, ſays he was bound to John Stanaland, Stone Cutter near Schuylkill Falls, for one Year, which expired the 13th Day of May laſt; theſe are therefore to acquaint his Maſter, if any he has, to come before the firſt of May next, and pay his Charges, and take him away, otherwiſe he will then be ſold for his Fees, by

‖ MATTHIAS BUGH, Goaler.

New-Caſtle County, on Delaware, March 1, 1767.

STOLEN out of the Houſe of the Subſcriber, at Night, the following Articles, viz. one Silver Watch, Maker's Name RICHARD WEDON, London, No. 2586; one red Calimancoe Quilt, lined with blue and white Linſey, double Diamonds; a Pair of Stays, green Ruſſel, braided with white; a black Quilt, ſingle Diamonds; a Riding Skirt, ſtriped Camblet; red Cloak; a Bonnet, Camblet Gown, Cotton Ditto, two Pair of Holland Sleeves, a Holland Apron, Muſlin Ditto, a Pair of Sheets, and ſundry other Things. Whoever apprehends the Thief or Thieves, and confines them, ſo that they may be brought to Juſtice, ſhall receive Three Pounds Reward, or Forty Shillings for the Goods, paid by

§ RICHARD CANTWELL.

To be SOLD at public Vendue, on the 3d Day of April next, on the Premiſes,

A VERY valuable Plantation, ſituate in Middletown, Bucks County, near the Four Lanes Ends, containing 220 Acres of good Land, with a good Dwelling houſe, Barn, Stables, &c. a Well of exceeding good Water, a ſufficient Quantity of Meadow, which yields good Clover and Timothy Graſs; the improved Part of ſaid Plantation in good Repair, and the reſt well timbered. The Title indiſputable. The Conditions will be made known at the Time and Place of Sale.

Alſo to be ſold at the ſame Time and Place, Horſes, Mares and Colts, horned Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Wheat in the Ground, Houſhold Goods, ſuch as Feather Beds and Bedding, Pewter, Braſs, Iron Ware, &c. Huſbandry Utenſils, as Ploughs, Harrows, Iron bound Cart and Waggon, Geers, &c. All Perſons buying to the Value of Twenty Shillings or upwards, may have 12 Months Credit, on ſatisfactory Security; all leſſer Sums ready Money is expected, by JOSEPH STACKHOUSE. *1 W.

Cheſter, ſs. March 14, 1767.

MADE his Eſcape from the Conſtable of Sadſbury, on the 13th Inſtant, David Scott, who was committed for Debt, a Man about 6 Feet 3 Inches high, about 30 Years old, Pock-marked, has black Hair, cut round; had on a full Suit of blue, mounted with yellow Metal Buttons, light blue Loom Stockings, new Pumps, ſquare Buckles, of a lightiſh Metal, a Raccoon Hat, partly new; is a Cooper by Trade. Whoever takes up ſaid Scott, and ſecures him in any Goal, ſhall have Five Pounds Reward, paid by

¶ JOHN MAXFIELD.

TO be SOLD, by public Vendue, on Thurſday, the 9th Day of April next, one undivided third Part of MARTICK FURNACE and FORGE, with the Lands thereunto belonging, containing about 3500 Acres, all in general well timbered; there are ſeveral good Plantations on the ſame, with large Meadows, and large Quantities more may be made, with good Streams of Water to water the ſame; the Forge but three Miles and an Half from the Farms, the Land lying very convenient to each Place; with a great Plenty of Water; there is now a very good Stock of Ore on the Bank, a large Houſe full of Coals, and a ſufficient Quantity of old Wood, very handy to the Furnace, for a large Blaſt this Seaſon; there is alſo at ſaid Furnace, a very good Griſt Mill, and nine good Teams belonging to ſaid Works, which the Purchaſer may have on reaſonable Terms. The Heat will be in, and all Things ready to go into Blaſt the next Day after the Sale. Upon paying Part of the Purchaſe-money in Hand, reaſonable Time will be given for the reſt, in yearly Payments, without Intereſt. They will be ſold together, or ſeparate, as will beſt ſuit the Purchaſers; there is a never-failing Bank of Ore. The Subſcriber has ſeveral other Plantations for Sale, on the above Terms of Payment. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, may apply to him, a day or two before the Sale, and ſee the Works and Land; the Forge has two Hammers, three finery Fires, and a Chafery, all in good Repair. The Sale to begin about 11 o'Clock; where due Attendance will be given by ❋ THOMAS SMITH.

To be SOLD,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION and Tract of Land, pleaſantly ſituated on the River Delaware, in the Townſhip of Cheſter, Burlington County, Weſt New-Jerſey, about 10 Miles from Philadelphia by Land, and 8 by Water, about five Miles from Quaker's Meeting, and ſeven to an Engliſh Church; the ſaid Plantation contains about 250 Acres of Land, about 50 Acres thereof good Meadow Ground, about 20 Acres cleared, and under good Graſs, Part of which Meadow lieth on a ſmall Tide Creek on one Side the ſaid Plantation, well ſecured by a good Dam and Floodgates, eſtabliſhed by an Act of Aſſembly; the other Part of the ſaid Meadow lieth fronting the ſaid River Delaware; about 80 Acres of cleared Land, divided into convenient Fields, with good Fence, the Remainder Wood-land; there is on the ſaid Premiſes a good new framed Dwelling-houſe two Stories high, 30 by 20 feet Square, a good Cellar under the whole, with a good Kitchen, and ſundry Out-houſes, a Well of good Water near the Door, a ſmall Orchard of Apple Trees, and ſundry other Fruit Trees; alſo another good Dwelling-houſe on the back Part of the ſaid Land, one Story high, two Rooms on a Floor, with two good Fire Places. The Title is indiſputable. For Terms of Sale enquire of the Subſcriber, living on the Premiſes, where they may be fully informed, by

¶ ISAAC ROGERS.

Straſburg Townſhip, Lancaſter County, March 16, 1767.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, on the Firſt Inſtant, a Negroe Man, named JOE: Had on, when he went away, an old Blanket Coat, three Jackets, two of them ſtriped Lincey, of ſeveral Colours, the other white Cotton, flowered with Needle-work, old Leather Breeches, a Pair of Shoes, and the Crown of an old Hat, with a Piece burnt out of it. He formerly belonged to John Strawbridge, near the Head of Elk. Whoever takes up ſaid Negroe, and ſecures him in any Goal in this Province, or brings him to his Maſter, ſhall have Four Dollars Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

❋ ROBERT DUNCAN.

To be SOLD on very reaſonable Terms, the following Tracts of Land, viz.

181 ACRES, fine Lime Stone Land, in Frederick County, Virginia, about 2 Miles from Winchester.

250 Acres of Wood Land, in Frederick County aforeſaid, about 2 Miles from Woodſtock.

400 Acres of excellent Land, on the Waters of Back Creek, in the County aforeſaid, and on the Great Road leading to the South Branch, about 10 Miles from Winchester, 100 Acres of which is extreme rich Bottom, well watered by a fine Stream of Water running through it, and ſeveral Springs; there is a good ſquare Log Dwelling-houſe, and ſome Out-houſes on it, ſome Meadow made, and about 40 Acres of Upland cleared.

190 Acres in Fairfax County, about 10 Miles from Alexandria, and 5 from Colcheſter, on a Branch of Pohick.

800 Acres on the North Branch of Patowmack, and on a Branch called Cabin Run, about 8 Miles from Fort Cumberland; on this Tract is a large Quantity of rich Bottom, fit for Meadow or Hemp Land; the Up-land is remarkably good, being chiefly timbered with Walnut and Hickory.

The above Lands, or any of them, will be ſold extremely cheap. For Terms apply to Chriſtopher Robert Rutherford in Frederick County, Samuel Pritchard at Great Cape Capon, Captain Enoch Ennis at Fort Cumberland, Joſeph Watſon at Alexandria, or GARRETT and GEORGE MEADE. Tbc.

WANTED immediately,

A PAIR of young Horſes, of about 14 Hands and a Half high, well broke for a Phæton, one of them to pace a Travel under a Saddle. Any Perſon having ſuch a Pair for Sale, may hear of a Purchaſer, by enquiring of JOHN MOODEY, at the Corner of Strawberry Alley and Cheſtnut-ſtreet, Philadelphia. §

To be SOLD by

ANDREW DOZ,

Living in Front-ſtreet, near the Draw-bridge,

SIX or Eight Load of the beſt Firſt Crop UPLAND HAY. Likewiſe a Quantity of the Beſt FALL MACKREL, exceeding fat. ¶

MONTPELIER, November 20.

SINCE Michaelmas we have had great rains, attended with ſtorms. Laſt Saturday in the night we had a moſt terrible one, which laſted 24 hours, during which time there fell ſo great a quantity of rain, that all the cellars in the town were filled with water, the pipes of wine were ſet on float; ſome houſes were undermined, and thrown down, and bridges carried away by the torrent. At the ſame time the thunder was very dreadful. At Cette the chapel of the penitents was thrown down, and two houſes adjoining. At Bauzigues three houſes met with the ſame fate; Balaruc has ſuffered very much; Pignan is ruined; and there is no road to go to Thouloufe, or to Cette.

LONDON.

Nov. 29. A letter from Poland ſays, "The Tribunals of Great and Little Poland continue their aſſemblies, with the utmoſt union and aſſiduity; from whence we ſee what may be done in a free nation by the example of its chief, when he makes order and juſtice the rule of his conduct, and labours himſelf for the advancement of the public welfare."

Wedneſday a footpad ſtopped a young woman near the gallows at Rumford, in Eſſex, and robbed her of her red cloak, and two ſhillings in money; after the robbery he ſaluted her, and looking earneſtly at the gallows, ſaid it would not be long before he ſhould be hanged.

Accounts from Parma, of the 1ſt inſtant, ſay, that the meaſures taken by the Marquis de Felino, Miniſter and Secretary of State, have been much approved, whereby that city has been ſupplied with corn, at the ſame time that moſt of the other ſtates in Italy have been in want of it. The Duchies of Placentia and Guaſtalla have been found to contain as much of that commodity as will ſerve for the whole country, without any aſſiſtance, before next harveſt.

Dec. 2. We hear that Lord Forteſcue has given orders to his Steward to get all his Lordſhip's corn threſhed out, and ſold to the poor at South Moreton, at 4s. 6d. per buſhel.

Dec. 4. It is ſaid, that an aſſize will be fixed upon mealmen, as well as bakers, throughout England; ſo that the dealers in corn will not have it in their power to keep up the extortionate prices they uſually have done, to the great detriment of the poor.

On Tueſday laſt a remarkable cauſe was tried before Sir Thomas Saluſbury, Knt. Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, wherein Thomas Bennett, late a mideſhipman on board the Eaſt-India ſhip Denham, whereof Capt. Tryon was commander, on behalf of himſelf, and the reſt of the mariners belonging to the ſaid ſhip, were plaintifs, and Barrington Buggins, Eſq; owner of the ſaid ſhip, defendant. The queſtion before the court was, whether the ſailors had forfeited their wages, by reaſon of the ſhip being burnt in the Eaſt-Indies, by order of the Governor and Council of Bencoolen. On hearing the evidence on both ſides, the judge was pleaſed to pronounce ſentence in favour of the plaintifs, with full coſts of ſuit.

Dec. 6. The Dyet of Poland having taken into conſideration the circumſtances in which the late Count Sedenicki, Great Treaſurer of the Crown, has left his family, they have agreed to take 300,000 florins, in lieu of near three millions, wherein the deceaſed ſtood indebted to the Republic.

They write from Hamburgh, that they have had no rain there ſince Autumn, which has ſo lowered the river Ahr, that they are obliged to ſend all their corn to be ground in the country of Mecklenburgh, or the territories of Hanover, which has greatly raiſed the price of meal at Hamburgh.

They write from Civita-Vecchia, that the plague, which is lately broke out in the Levant, and upon the coaſts of Boſnia, makes particular havock in the city of Biach, and the neighbouring villages.

We hear from Berlin, that the King has given orders, that a particular chamber of war and domains ſhall be eſtabliſhed next new year's day at Ham, the capital of the county of Marck, to be entirely independent of the duchy of Cleves, but ſubject to the general directory of military finances, in order for the better diſpatch of buſineſs, and for avoiding the inconveniences ariſing from the diſtance between one county and the other.

Dec. 11. Laſt week Mr. Smith, a farmer of Cotton Lodge, near Alceſter, was defrauded of a load of barley in the following manner: A man, who ſaid his name was Rogers, and lived at Birmingham, contracted with the ſaid Mr. Smith, at Alceſter market, by ſample, for a wey of barley, at 3s. 4d. a buſhel, which he was to deliver at Birmingham on Thurſday laſt; the ſharper, who had an accomplice, contrived to meet the farmer with his waggon and barley at the end of the town, and told him he would ſhew him where to unload, and accordingly went with him to Mr. Matthews's, a Maltſter, in Edgbaſton-ſtreet, in Birmingham, to whom he (Rodgers) had previouſly ſold it by the ſame ſample for 3s. a buſhel; when there, he deſired the farmer, while his ſon-in-law, who drove the team, was unloading the barley, to go with his friend (meaning his accomplice) into the market, to look at ſome fine young beaſts he had to ſell; but as that part of the ſcheme was only to gain ſo much time as the waggon would take to unload and receive the money, after leading him a round about way to the market, he dropt him; on the farmer's return to Mr. Matthews's, in expectation of his money, Mr. Matthews informed him that he had paid the perſon he bought it of. The cheat being now diſcovered, a ſtrict enquiry was immediately ſet on foot, but to no purpoſe, for they both got clear off.

Dec. 13. We are aſſured that every third rate man of war, ſtationed two or three years in the Weſt-Indies, ſuffers conſtantly ſo much from the worm, that they are under the neceſſity of being docked at their return, the coſt of which to the nation is not leſs than 20,000l. upon each ſhip, not on account of plank alone, but in the extraordinary expence incurred by removing and refixing the inner works of the ſhip, in order to replace the plank effectually: It muſt therefore afford real pleaſure to every well-wiſher of his country to be informed, that an ingenious chymiſt of this city has diſcovered, experimentally, an effectual method of preſerving ſhips bottoms from the perforations of the marine worm. The application is ſo ſimple, and ſo cheap, that a third rate will not coſt 150l. The importance of this diſcovery having been repreſented to the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, their Lordſhips have been pleaſed to order a convincing experiment to be made upon the Scarborough man of war, now fitttng for ſea at Deptford, which has been done accordingly, under the inventor's inſpection.

We hear from Huddersfield, in Yorkſhire, that the grand cloth-hall or market-houſe, built there at the ſole expence of Sir John Ramſden, Bart. is now opened: It is imagined it will contain 2000 clothiers.

Dec. 16. We hear that a rich Baronet, who was married a few days ago, had the noble ſpirit to preſent his Lady's fortune to her ſiſter, conſiſting of 10,000l.

Letters from Heidleberg, in Germany, ſay, that there has not been ſo long a drought known in thoſe parts in the memory of man as this year. The Rhine has been forded in many places; and a rock has been diſcovered in the Neckar, upon which is ſeen "the year 1476." which was cut as a mark or memorandum of the drought at that time; and there has now been engraved, by order of the Elector Palatine, "the year 1766." four inches below that antient mark.

A letter from Paris ſays, "Every day brings freſh accounts of the ravages occaſioned by the overflowing of the Tarn, in the neighbourhood of Montauban. All the mills in the ſuburb of Sapiæ are deſtroyed, and a famine muſt have enſued, if the Intendant had not opened the magazines of meal deſtined for the colonies, and diſtributed it among the people."

They write from Albi, that an inundation has done there abundance of damage: All the mills of the town are carried away. Several tanneries are ſwallowed up, and many houſes very much damaged. The villages of Condoumine, Trebus, Villeneuve-du-Tarn, and all others bordering on the river in that part of the country, are under water. The inhabitants are deſtitute of meal, and are obliged to ſend their corn to be ground two or three leagues diſtance. Cardinal Bernice, Archbiſhop of this city, has taken all poſſible care for remedying the conſequences of this diſaſter, and procuring aſſiſtance to ſuch as ſtand in need of it.

ANNAPOLIS, March 12.

By the late heavy Rains, the Rivers and Runs of Water have been ſwelled ſo much above their uſual Bounds, that many Bridges, Mills and Dams, have been broke down thereby, and much Damage done otherwiſe, that we have already heard of.

Monday and Tueſday laſt the Tide roſe here to a much greater Heighth, than has been known for 7 or 8 Years paſt.

Saturday laſt two Perſons, whoſe Names are yet unknown, attempting to ride over the Falls of Patapſco, were both drowned. And on Monday one Joſeph Goodman, Blackſmith, raſhly attempting the ſame Thing, was bore down by the Torrent, waſhed from his Horſe, and drowned within Sight of a Number of People, who could not afford him any Aſſiſtance. He has left a Wife and four Children, and big with a Fifth.

BOSTON, *March* 16.

To the PUBLIC.

Wedneſday, the 18th Inſtant, will be the ever memorable Anniverſary of THE REPEAL OF THE STAMP-ACT.

From a thorough Deteſtation and Abhorrence of Slavery and Bondage, a high Veneration for our CHARTER RIGHTS, a ſincere Love, Reſpect and Loyal-Attachment to his ſacred MAJESTY'S PERSON, FAMILY and GOVERNMENT, a juſt Eſteem and Affection for that reſpectable Body the BRITISH PARLIAMENT, a grateful Senſe of the Obligations we are under to every PATRIOT, who diſintereſtedly aſſiſted in bringing about that glorious Event, and an ardent and laudable Deſire of tranſmitting to Poſterity an Idea of the Value we have for THE LIBERTIES AND PRIVILEGES OF ENGLISHMEN, it is hoped, a ſuitable Notice will be taken of that Day, by every Friend to GREAT-BRITAIN and AMERICA.

We hear that laſt Week the General Aſſembly, now ſitting here, made Choice of the Hon. Thomas Hutchinſon, Eſq; the Hon. William Brattle, Eſq; and Capt. Edward Sheaffe, to be Commiſſaries on the Part of this Province, to join with thoſe to be appointed from New-York, to run the Boundary Line between the two Provinces.

Laſt Thurſday a Child about 18 Months old, Daughter to one Jackſon, at the South Part of the Town, being left near the Chimney, its Cloaths catched on Fire, and burnt the Child in ſuch a terrible Manner, that it died next Day.

NEW-LONDON, March 6.

About ſix Weeks ago, the Wife of Mr. William Cary, of Windham, in this Colony, was delivered of three living Children, two Boys, and a Girl, two of which are ſtill alive.

And, about 10 o'Clock on Friday Morning laſt, the Wife of Mr. Silas Flint, of the ſame Town, was ſafely delivered of four perfect Children, all Girls. The Parents of them being of indifferent Circumſtances in Life, a Collection was immediately made by ſome charitable Gentlemen, for the Support of the Children: However, they are all ſince dead; two of them died the Evening after they were born, and the other two the next Day in the Forenoon.

PROVIDENCE, March 7.

On the 1ſt Inſtant a Veſſel was launched above the Great-Bridge in this Town, which was immediately after taken through the Bridge, where a moſt melancholly Affair enſued: A Lad about 16 Years of Age, the only Son of David Wilkinſon, Eſq; of this Town, being on board, the Tide rapid, the Veſſel crowding near the Side to which the Draw-bridge was ſuſpended, the Lad, with others, attempting to prevent her galling, and he ſtanding at the fore End of the Quarter Deck Rail, his Head was caught between the End of the Rail, and one of the Joiſts of the Bridge, which cruſhed his Head to Pieces in an Inſtant: So ſudden and violent was the Blow, that he was not obſerved to make the leaſt Motion.

March 14. At a Court of Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, held at Newport, on the 2d inſtant March, a Negroe Woman was convicted of murdering her Baſtard Child, and thereupon received Sentence of Death.

At the ſame Court was indicted, one -------- Moore, for the Aſſault and Robbery of Mr. Bailey, and being arraigned to plead to the Indictment, appeared with ſuch Madneſs and Diſtraction, as to be unfit to be put upon his Trial; and was thereupon remanded to Goal, there to remain until the further Order of Court.

NEWPORT, March 16.

A young man, ſervant to a Philadelphia gentleman, riding very faſt, on horſeback, a mile or two out of town, laſt Tueſday, by the horſe's ſtumbling, fell off, and was killed.

The Anniverſary of the repeal of the STAMP-ACT happens on Wedneſday next, the 18th day of March,---a day auſpicious to America, and ſacred to liberty.---The event of that day will undoubtedly be celebrated, by the friends of freedom and this country, for ages to come: An event the moſt important and intereſting to this continent of any ſince the ſettlement thereof by Britiſh ſubjects.-----Had a monarch of leſs benignity and clemency than GEORGE the Third, ſat on the Britiſh throne, ſurrounded by a tyrannic ſett of Grenvillians,---the conſequence of our noble efforts, for the preſervation of freedom, would have been ſhocking to humanity. But, thanks be to GOD, a PITT, a CONWAY, a BARRE, and a numerous liſt of other illuſtrious worthies, the firm and undaunted aſſertors of conſtitutional freedom, appeared in the Britiſh ſenate, and, with Ciceronian eloquence, diſplayed the juſtice of our complaints;---our gracious and benign Sovereign eſpouſed the cauſe, and, *let it for ever be remembered*, on the GLORIOUS EIGHTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIX, by his royal aſſent to an act for repealing the Stamp-Act, diffuſed inexpreſſible joy among millions of his moſt faithful and loyal ſubjects----May the importance of this memorable tranſaction be fully tranſmitted to the lateſt poſterity;---and may the GLORIOUS ANNIVERSARY never paſs unnoticed.

NEW-YORK, March 19.

At a COUNCIL held at Fort George, in the City of New-York, on Wedneſday the Eleventh Day of March, 1767.

PRESENT,

His Excellency Sir HENRY MOORE, Bart. Captain General, &c.

Mr. Horſmanden, Mr. Smith, Mr Watts, Mr. Walton, Mr. Delancy, Mr. Apthorpe, Mr. Reade.

THE Council having duly conſidered all the Proofs and Allegations offered on the Part of the Complainants Daniel Nimham, and the other Indians of the Wappinger Tribe, in Support of their Claim to certain Lands, granted by Letters Patent to Adolph Philipſe, dated the 17th of June, 1697; as likewiſe the Proofs offered by Roger Morris, Beverly Robinſon, and Philip Philipſe, in Support of their Title under the ſaid Adolph Philipſe, and after admitting every Kind of Proof that could be offered by the Complainants,

Upon the whole Matter, his Excellency the Governor and the Council are unanimouſly of Opinion, and do declare, That the Indians now living of the Wappinger Tribe, have no Right, Title, or Claim, to the Lands granted as aforeſaid, by Letters Patent to the ſaid Adolph Philipſe: That the originial Indian Title thereto, hath been long ſince extinguiſhed, by Purchaſes honeſtly and fairly made: That the Title to the ſaid Lands, both in Law and Equity, is veſted in the preſent Proprietors, under the ſaid Letters Patent, notwithſtanding any Indian Claim whatever: And that the Complaint of the ſaid Indians, to which they have been wholly excited by white Perſons, with a View to countenance and ſupport their own illegal Pretenſions to the Lands, is vexatious and unjuſt, and as ſuch ought to be, and is hereby accordingly diſmiſſed.

A true Copy, examined by

GW. BANYAR, D. C. Con.

Yeſterday being the Anniverſary of our gracious Sovereign's giving his Aſſent to the Repeal of the baneful American Stamp-Act, a great Number of the Inhabitants of this City celebrated the ſame, with the Joy and Feſtivity ſuch a noble Inſtance of the Conſervation of Britiſh Liberty deſerved from her Favourite Sons: In the Evening many Houſes were illuminated, and a Number of Fireworks were exhibited, to the general Satisfaction of all the Inhabitants.

March 23. Captain David Maſterton arrived here laſt Thurſday Night in 10 Weeks from the Streights: He ſpoke with only one Veſſel on the Paſſage, and that a Sloop from Virginia for this Port, already arrived: He ſays moſt of the Ports in the Streights have been well ſupplied with Wheat, &c. from the Baltick, and that not one Veſſel had arrived in the Streights from America, that he knew of, when he left that Place; the higheſt Price of the beſt Wheat being from 4s. 6d. to 5s. 6d. Sterling, per Buſhel.

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.

On the 16th Inſtant departed this Life, in the 87th Year of her Age, Mrs. LYDIA WARDER, Widow of the late Mr. JOHN WARDER, of this City. She was born in *London*, in the Year 1680, and came over to this Part of the World, then an inhoſpitable Wilderneſs, with her Father Mr. JOHN GOODSON, about the ſame Time the Founder of this Colony firſt arrived in it. They landed near where the City now ſtands, and were for ſome Time obliged to take up their Abode in Wigwams and Caves, there being then no other Habitations. Here ſhe ſpent her long Life in ſuch Acts of unaffected Piety and Virtue as reflects the higheſt Credit on her Name, and does Honour to human Nature,---continually diſtinguiſhing herſelf by her univerſal Hoſpitality, and in a particular Manner exerting herſelf to alleviate the Sufferings of the Poor, Needy and Diſtreſſed, to whom ſhe was a conſtant Friend, and by her Skill in Phyſic, which ſhe employed without Fee or Reward, was a great Benefactreſs to them.---As her Life was devoted to the Service of GOD, and the Good of Mankind, ſhe was not without a Reward in this World, being bleſſed with a great Share of Health, till within a few Days of her Diſſolution. She was of ſound Memory, and bore the gradual Decays of Nature, and the Proſpect of her important Change, with a truly Chriſtian Fortitude and Serenity, expreſſing a Deſire to be releaſed from this Life, with an humble Confidence of a bleſſed Immortality.---Wedneſday following her Remains were attended by a Number of her Fellow-Citizens to the Burial Place of the *Quakers*, whoſe Principles ſhe profeſſed, and lived and died a worthy Member of their Society.

Extract of a Letter from Barbados, February 13, 1767.

"We had another Fire in Bridge-town Yeſterday, which luckily did but little Damage; and why? Becauſe the ſeveral Fire Companies followed their own Meaſures to ſuppreſs it; and pleaſed I am, to tell you, that a regular Plan was laſt Week laid, for re-building thoſe Parts of the Town that were reduced by the two laſt great Fires; and Engines, with every other Neceſſary, ſent for."

On Tueſday laſt the Philadelphia Packet, Captain Harriſon, arrived here from South-Carolina (the Veſſel late blown out from our Road) The Captain endeavoured to get to New-York, but could not, and afterwards put into Norfolk, in Virginia, where he was ſupplied with a Cable and Anchor.

The ſame Day Captain Callender arrived here from St. Chriſtophers, in 21 Days, by whom we learn, that Captain Robinſon, in a Sloop from Wilmington, arrived there the Day he ſailed.

Captain Richards, from Surrinam, on the 26th ult. in Lat. 20: 8, Long. 63, ſpoke a Sloop, Captain Richards, from the Grenades for New-York, nine Days out, the Veſſel very leaky. And on the 13th Inſtant, off of Cape Hatteras, he ſpoke with Captain Welſh, in a Brig, from Barbados for New London, out 15 Days, all well.

Captain Bridges, from Georgia, on the 15th Inſtant, about 50 Leagues from Block Iſland, ſpoke a Sloop from Rhode Iſland for Antigua, two Days out.

By Captain Mulford, from North-Carolina, we learn, that Captain Wimble, in a Sloop belonging to New-York, is arrived there from Jamaica.

Captain Whitty, from Auguſtine, adviſes, that a great Number of People were lately arrived there from England, in order to ſettle and improve the Colony of Eaſt Florida; and that Captain Lawrence, in a Sloop from New-York, died there, after a very ſhort Illneſs, a few Days before he ſailed.

With Capt. Whitty came one William Carncroft, who informs, that on the 21ſt of September laſt he ſailed from Montego Bay, in Jamaica, as Mate of the Sloop Catherine, John Pyner Maſter, of and for New London, laden with Rum and Sugar; that on the 13th of October they were unfortunately caſt away on the Florida Shore, near Key Largo, where the People, 9 in Number, got ſafe on Land, repaired their Boat, and two Days after ſet off with a Deſign to go to Penſacola (excepting William Barrit, a Butcher, belonging to this City, who was a Paſſenger on board the Sloop, and who refuſed to leave the Key) that after experiencing great Diſtreſs, in which one of the Company died, they landed about ten Miles from the Garriſon of Apalache, where this Informant left the Captain, one Mr. Stewart, a Paſſenger, three Mariners, and a Boy, in good Health, and going to the Garriſon, he got a Paſſage to St. Auguſtine.

The Brig Charlotte, Captain Seymour, from Barbados for this Port, is put into Rhode Iſland.

On Friday laſt a Shallop loaded with Wheat, in coming up the River, near Marcus Hook, was run foul of by a Pilot Boat, and received ſo much Damage, that ſhe ſunk immediately; the People ſaved themſelves in their Boat.

ARRIVED. At St. Chriſtophers. Captain Northom, from Rhode-Iſland---Dennis, from Marblehead---Cochran and Butler, from Piſcataqua---Mansfield, from New-Haven---Burnam, from New-London---Weaton, from Boſton---And the Captains Fordham and Garner, from Long-Iſland.

At Nevis. Captain Bunker, from Nantucket.

At Georgia. Captain Waldron, from Rhode-Iſland.

At Dominica. Captain Haſelwood.---At Jamaica, Captain Haſelton.---And at Cadiz, Captain Eyres, from Philadelphia.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Schooner Adventure, G. Nicholſon, and Brig Nancy, N. Cooper, from Barbados. Brig Adair, W. Downey, Bourdeaux. Sloop Urania, J. Whitty, Eaſt Florida. Sloop Abigail, G. Harriſon. R. Iſland. Schooner Lydia, B. Lunt, Piſcataqua. Sloop Diamond, J. Rotch, Nantucket. Schooner Elizabeth, J. Smith, Sloop Three Friends, T. Parker, and Sloop Molly, N. Stone, Boſton. Brig Matty, J. Martin, St. Euſtatia. Brig Hibernia, H. Richards, Surrinam. Schooner Brunſwick Packet, T. Mulford, N. Carolina. Brig Peggy, G. Bridges, Georgia. Brig Morning Star, T. Callender, St. Kitts. Sloop Hannah, J. Mottey, Salem, N. England. Brig Charming Polly, C. Poaug, from Grenades.

OUTWARDS. Schooner Charming Nancy, J. Mullowney, for Halifax. Brig Patty, P. Long, Madeira. Sloop Succeſs, J. Lowther, N. Providence. Sloop Urania, J. Whitty, Eaſt Florida. Brig Ann and Lethea, L. Albro, Jamaica. Schooner Elizabeth, J. Smith, and Sloop Molly, N. Stone, for Boſton.

CLEARED. Ship Rachel, W. Hardcaſtle, to Jamaica. Schooner Sally, E. Joyne, Schooner Priſcilla, J. Shaw, and Schooner Adventure, G. Nicholſon, Halifax. Ship Patient Mary, W. Singleton, Barbados. Ship Princeſs of Brunſwick, T. Forwood, Piſcataqua. Brig Lark, B. Peel, Madeira. Sloop Dolphin, R. Havens, New-York.

THE Subſcriber, intending ſhortly to go out of this Province, requeſts all Perſons indebted to him above ſix Months to pay their reſpective Ballances before the firſt Day of May next, enſuing this Date, otherwiſe he muſt be under an indiſpenſible Neceſſity of giving their Accounts into the Hands of an Attorney, to ſue immediately for the ſame, without Diſtinction.

JAMES HARDING.

To be SOLD in Virginia by the ſubſcriber, and may be entered upon next fall,

A VALUABLE tract of land, containing near 30,000 *acres, lying upon both ſides of James river, at the falls thereof, and extending many miles as well below as above the ſaid falls, including the landing at Weſtham, whereon warehouſes are erected that receive the produce of the back country, brought down the river in canoes to that place, in order to be afterwards ſhipped off from Shockoes.*

The high land on the ſaid tract is rich, level, and well wooded, the low grounds are extremely fine, and much more valuable than any of the kind on the river; on either ſide of the ſaid river there are places fit for erecting furnaces, forges, and mill works of any ſort whatever, with inexhauſtible ſtreams of water. The ſituations on the ſaid lands are both healthy and delightful, having on them ſome of the fineſt views on the continent.

There are various and valuable improvements on the ſaid land, viz: on the north ſide of the ſaid river is a well built town, called Shockoes, tenanted out to merchants and others, with two ſetts of public ware-houſes for the inſpection of tobacco; the whole is in good repair, and the greateſt part lately built; on the ſouth ſide of the ſaid river there is a well built town, called Rockey Ridge; the houſes and ware-houſes, chiefly in the tenure and occupation of merchants, alſo a ſett of public ware-houſes for the inſpection of tobacco, and adjoining the ſaid town is Stagland forge, a large ſtrong new well built forge, with two hammers, and every thing compleat, on a never failing ſtream; likewiſe a new well built merchant griſt mill, with two pair of ſtones, and a boulting mill, all in exceeding good order. Over and above thoſe improvements, there are many very fine plantations on the ſaid lands, with good houſes, and every convenience, for cropping. Likewiſe ſeveral good dwelling-houſes, particularly one known by the name of Belvidere, a beautiful ſeat, with offices, coach-houſe, ſtables, garden, orchard, &c. fit for the accommodation of a genteel family, alſo a valuable ferry from Shockoes to Rockey Ridge, and a profitable fiſhery on both ſides the river, worth upwards of 200l. yearly. The waſt advantages reſulting to trade from the happy ſituation of the ſaid eſtate, are too many to be enumerated; and as the produce of the waſt extent of the colony above the falls, and alſo part of North-Carolina, muſt neceſſarily be brought to one or other of the ſaid towns, it may juſtly be ſaid they are the center of the trade of this province.

The whole will be ſold together, or laid off in lots, as may beſt ſuit the buyer and ſeller. Tuctf. *WILLIAM BYRD.*

To be SOLD,

Enquire of JOHN REYNELL, HUGH ROBERTS, JAMES PEMBERTON, or ABEL JAMES,

SIX ground-rents, amounting to Thirty-one Pounds Ten Shillings per annum, iſſuing out of ſeveral lots of ground, ſituate on the weſt-ſide of Fourth-ſtreet, between Spruce and Pine-ſtreets, in this city, viz.

No. 1. A rent charge of Five Pounds Five Shillings per annum, iſſuing out of a lot granted to Philip Weinemore, 21 feet front, and 196 feet deep, payable on the 5th of May.

No. 2. A ditto of Five Pounds Five Shillings per annum, iſſuing out of a lot granted to Jacob Vanread, of the ſame dimenſions, payable on the ſame day.

No. 3. A ditto of Six Pounds Fifteen Shillings per annum, iſſuing out of a lot granted to Joſeph Reynolds, 27 feet front, and 196 feet deep, payable on the firſt day of Auguſt.

No. 4. A ditto of Four Pounds Ten Shillings per annum, iſſuing out of a lot granted to Andrew Yeater, 18 feet front, and the ſame depth, payable the 27th of November.

No. 5. A ditto of Four Pounds Ten Shillings per annum, iſſuing out of a lot (of the ſame dimenſions with the laſt) granted to John Yeater, payable the 27th of November.

No. 6. A ditto of Five Pounds Five Shillings, on a lot 21 feet front, the ſame depth, granted to Henry Haney, payable the 27th of November.

The above rents are well ſecured, by good buildings erected on the lots.

TO be ſold by public vendue, on Monday, the 13th day of April next, on the premiſes, a valuable and well accuſtomed merchant-mill and ſaw-mill, ſituate in Mill-creek hundred, on Red-clay creek, New-Caſtle county, with two pair of ſtones, both double geared, a large ſtone mill-houſe, three boulting cloths, all go by water, beautifully ſituated on a never failing ſtream, with every natural convenience as good as any in the province, and but two miles from Newport, on Chriſtine, where the purchaſer may have any quantity of wheat from Duck-creek, and other landings on Delaware, that he may think proper to ingroſs, and alſo have his flour exported from thence to Philadelphia, ſold, and his money remitted once a week, if required, for ſix-pence per caſk, and ſcantling delivered from thence to Philadelphia, for ten ſhillings per thouſand; there is a log dwelling-houſe, with 8 acres of land, belonging to ſaid mills, about 36 acres of extraordinary wood land, loaded with timber, moſtly white-oak, ſuitable for the ſaw-mill, &c. a conſiderable quantity of which is rich bottom, and will make good meadow when the timber is cut off; likewiſe 5 acres of marſh meadow within bank, which will, with a little repair, produce near 20 tons of hay per year; the mills will be ſold with or without the wood land and marſh, as may ſeem moſt convenient to the purchaſer. The vendue to begin at 2 o'clock, where due attendance, and reaſonable credit, will be given, and the terms of payment made eaſy, by

DAVID REYNOLDS. ⊕

TO be SOLD, by publick vendue, on the 9th day of April next, a good BRICK HOUSE, and ſix acres and a half of land, adjoining thereto, in the center of the town of Newark, five miles from Chriſtiana Bridge, New-Caſtle county; to be divided into lots, or ſold together, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. Where attendance will be given by the ſubſcriber, †

ENOCH DAVID.

N. B. The title indiſputable.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Friday, the 10th day of April next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain frame meſſuage, tenement, and lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in front, on ſaid ſtreet, 14 feet, and in length or depth, 55 feet 6 inches, bounded eaſtward by Sixth-ſtreet aforeſaid, ſouthward by ground of James James, weſtward by a certain three feet alley, and northward by a certain four feet alley; late the eſtate of Samuel Van Burklow; ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Saturday, the 11th day of April next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at 7 o'clock in the evening, a certain meſſuage or tenement, and lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the north ſide of Spruce-ſtreet, and on the weſt ſide of Dock-ſtreet, containing in front, on Spruce-ſtreet aforeſaid, 22 feet 6 inches, and on the north ſide thereof 32 feet 6 inches, bounded northward by ground of Sellwood Griffin, ſouthward by Spruce-ſtreet aforeſaid, weſtward by a meſſuage and lot of Suſannah Wildridge, and eaſtward by Dock-ſtreet; ſubject to a ground-rent of Two Pounds Eighteen Shillings, lawful money of Pennſylvania, per annum; late the eſtate of Michael Siſk; ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Saturday, the 11th day of April next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at 6 o'clock in the evening, all the eſtate, right, title, intereſt, and term of years to come (being all the term of a certain William Fairman's natural life, who is about 30 years old) of, in, to, and out of, a certain undivided third part (the whole into three equal parts to be divided) of a certain piece or lot of ground, ſituate on the north ſide of Arch or Mulberry-ſtreet, between Fourth and Fifth-ſtreets, containing in front, on ſaid Arch-ſtreet, about 17 feet, and thence running through from ſaid Arch-ſtreet the diſtance of 140 feet, or thereabouts, to Apple-tree alley, having two two ſtory brick, and one frame meſſuage, thereon erected; the whole ſubject to the ground-rent of Three Pounds Eight Shillings currency per annum; and alſo ſubject to the proportionable part of the repairs of a pump and well, of which the aforeſaid premiſes has the privilege; late the eſtate of the ſaid William Fairman; ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on the premiſes, on Monday, the 13th day of April next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Oxford, in the county of Philadelphia, containing about 82 acres, pleaſantly ſituated on the river Delaware, about 9 miles from Philadelphia, bounded by the ſaid river Delaware, lands of Matthias Keene, Jacob Keene, and others; late the eſtate of George Keene; ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Tueſday, the 14th day of April next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at ſix o' clock in the evening, all the eſtate, right, title, intereſt, joint-tenancy and expectancy of James Chattin, of, in, to, and out of, a certain peice of ſwamp or cripple, ſituate in the townſhip of Paſſyunk, in the county of Philadelphia, beginning at a poſt; thence extending by Daniel Roberdeau's cripple, ſouth 11 degrees weſt, 88 perches and a half, to the river Schuylkill; thence down the ſaid river to-----Zane's cripple, ſouth 58 and a half degrees weſt, 26 perches and two-tenths of a perch, to the place of beginning, containing 11 acres and three-quarters of an acre, late the eſtate of the ſaid James Chattin, ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Thurſday, the 16th day of April next, at the houſe of Edward Wells, at Skippack, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of New Providence, in the county of Philadelphia, containing 70 acres, and 110 perches of land, bounded by lands of John Bull, Eſq; John Umſtead, and others; late the eſtate of Jacob Giſler, ſeized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be ſold, by public vendue, on Saturday, the 18th day of April next, at 3 o'clock, on the premiſes, two certain meſſuages or tenements, and tract or piece of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in the townſhip of Byberry, in the county of Philadelphia, containing 89 acres, bounded by lands of William Walmſly, and others, late the eſtate of Iſaac Carver, ſeized and taken in execution by WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD,

By ARCHIBALD M'CALL, *and* JUDAH FOULKE, *executors of the late* WILLIAM PLUMSTED, *Eſq; deceaſed, the three following deſcribed lots, or pieces of meadow ground, ſituate on League Iſland, 5 miles below Philadelphia, viz.*

NUMBER 1. containing 17 acres 50 perches, within good bank, and drained; that it may be made ready to receive hemp or graſs-ſeed this ſpring, there is a large trunk laid, and on the eaſt ſide a new cedar four rail fence. On this lot is erected a houſe, 22 feet front, and 18 feet deep, the firſt ſtory is carried up of ſtone, ten feet above the ſurface, and deſigned for kitchen and cellar, the ſecond and third ſtories are frame, and each may be divided into two rooms, with fire places in each.

Number 2. contains 10 acres, has a very good bank, and drained, ſome part at the north end is improved and ſeeded, and the reſt in ſuch order, that it may (with little expence) be made fit to receive hemp or graſs-ſeed this ſpring; there is belonging to this lot, at the north end, a quantity of unimproved marſh, which meaſures 40 perches from the bank to low water mark, and will be of great advantage to the purchaſer, as a range for his cattle, great part of the ſummer.

Number 3. lies on the eaſt ſide of the laſt mentioned lot, contains 10 acres, is in the ſame order and advantage as above, and has on the eaſt ſide a new cedar four rail fence. The whole iſland is a rich blue mud, lies very high above the tide, and the above deſcribed lots are ſituate in the moſt pleaſant and choiceſt part of it.

Alſo, near 7 acres of meadow, on the road leading from this city to Glouceſter Point.

Likewiſe, one third part of a forge in Bucks county, known by the name of CANTY's FORGE, with a third part of 105 acres of land, belonging to the ſame.

TO BE SOLD,

BY public vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, on Thurſday, the 9th day of April, at ſix o'clock in the evening, the four following houſes, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Fifth-ſtreet, near the corner of Arch-ſtreet. No. 1. conſiſting of a good brick houſe and kitchen, 2 ſtories high each, with a good cellar under the whole, and the privilege of an alley, and pump of good water near the door; with the lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, containing in breadth 17 feet, and in depth 50 feet. No. 2. of the ſame dimenſions, privileges, &c. No. 3. conſiſting of a good brick houſe, and piazza, three ſtories high, with a 2 ſtory brick kitchen, and a good cellar under the whole, with the privilege of an alley, &c. No. 4. conſiſting of a houſe, kitchen, and piazza, &c. as No. 3. with the ſame privileges, &c. containing in breadth 15 feet 4 inches, and in depth 50 feet; each ſubject to a ground-rent of Three Pounds currency per annum. The houſes are all new, well built, and neatly finiſhed inſide and out. The purchaſer, or purchaſers, paying one half down, may have a conſiderable time for the remainder, paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity, if required. For further particulars, enquire of ANDREW EDGE, in Fifth-ſtreet, the third door from Arch-ſtreet.

N. B. A plan of the whole may be ſeen at the London Coffee-houſe. §

WANTS EMPLOYMENT,

A MAN who can be well recommended for his Sobriety, &c. and would be glad to ſerve any Perſon in a Store, or as a Book-keeper, having been employed in thoſe Capacities before in London, and elſewhere. For further Particulars, enquire of the Printers of this Paper, and by leaving a Letter there, with Directions, Attendance will be given as ſoon as poſſible. ¶

To be LETT,

And entered upon the Firſt of April next,

THE TAVERN where Mr. Peter Robeſon now lives, pleaſantly ſituated at the FALLS of SCHUYLKILL, five Miles from Philadelphia, a Place of great Reſort, and well accuſtomed for Buſineſs, eſpecially in the Summer Seaſon. Any Perſon willing to rent the ſame, and who can engage to keep a neat and orderly Houſe, with good Entertainment, may apply to the Subſcriber, W. SMITH.

N. B. Twelve Acres of Land, or more, if wanted, will be lett with the Premiſes. §

TEN POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the ſubſcribers, living on Deer creek, in Baltimore county, Maryland, on the 15th of March, three ſervant men, viz.

PATRICK CARRAVAN, an Iriſhman, a blackſmith by trade, a luſty well-ſet fellow, of a pale complexion, much pitted with the ſmall-pox, and ſpeaks good Engliſh: Had on and took with him, a brown bearſkin upper jacket, white cotton under ditto, cotton breeches, blue milled ſtockings, felt hat, and country-made ſhoes, oxenbrigs ſhirt, and is much given to ſtrong drink.

NICHOLAS KELLY, an Iriſhman, of a middle ſtature, and ruddy complexion, has dark brown hair, curled behind, ſpeaks good Engliſh: Had on and took with him, a light brown ſurtout coat, brown under jacket, leather breeches, oxenbrigs ſhirt, brown yarn ſtockings, country-made ſhoes, and felt hat.

EDWARD PERRY, born in the weſt of England, of a middle ſtature, and wears his own dark brown hair: Had on and took with him, a grey country-made upper jacket, with broad metal buttons, ſpotted double breaſted under jacket, old light coloured broadcloth breeches, both Holland and oxenbrigs ſhirts, new Engliſh made ſhoes, and new felt hat, and will frequently in his diſcourſe make uſe of the words "behappen ſo," or "behappen not." Whoever apprehends the ſaid ſervants, and ſecures them in any goal, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have for each, if taken 20 miles from home, Thirty Shillings; and if 30 miles, Forty-five Shillings; and if out of the province, Three Pounds Six and Eight Pence, and reaſonable charges if brought home, paid by JEREMIAH SHERRIDIN, NATHANIEL GILES, JOHN WILSON.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Members of the BLOCKLEY and MERION united LIBRARY COMPANY, to meet at their Library-room, on Monday, the 6th of April next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, to make their Sixth annual Payment, and to chooſe Directors and a Treaſurer for the enſuing Year. By Order of the Directors,

¶ RICHARD GEORGE, junior, Secretary.

To be SOLD or LETT,

For a term of years, and may be entered upon the firſt of April next, or ſooner, by Joſeph Phipps, ſenior, of Uwchland Townſhip, in Cheſter County,

ALL his eſtate, conſiſting of about 900 acres of land, which is allowed by good judges to be one of the beſt tracts of land in Cheſter County; it will ſuit to divide in four farms, or more, viz.

1. A valuable farm of about 500 acres, 200 acres cleared, and in good fence, the remainder well timbered and watered; it is kind good land for grain and graſs, a ſufficient quantity of watered meadow cleared, and in clover, timothy and other fine graſs, to feed 100 head of cattle yearly. On ſaid premiſes is pleaſantly ſituated a good ſtone houſe, barn, and other out-houſes, a good bearing orchard, &c.

2. About 100 acres of land, whereon is a log dwelling-houſe, a good merchant mill, with two pair of ſtones, will grind 10 or 15 buſhels in one hour; the mill-houſe is large and built of ſtone, and has plenty of water; the land is good for grain and graſs; about 35 acres cleared, the reſt well timbered; 40 acres of meadow may be made on this part.

3. About 200 acres of land, whereon is a ſtone dwelling-houſe, a barn, a good bearing orchard, about 60 acres of cleared land, the reſt well timbered and watered; 30 acres of watered meadow may be made on this part; alſo a good conveniency to build a ſaw-mill and fulling-mill.

4. About 100 acres of land, whereon is a log dwelling-houſe, a good merchant mill, with two pair of ſtones, will grind 10 or 15 buſhels in one hour; the mill-houſe is large, and built of ſtone, and has plenty of water, about 40 acres is cleared land, 10 acres whereof is meadow, the remainder well wooded and watered. The above mentioned tract of land is 33 miles from Philadelphia, on the Provincial Road leading to Lancaſter, where plenty of choice good wheat may be had, more than they can grind.

N. B. The purchaſer of any of the above premiſes may have ſeveral years to pay the purchaſe money, paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity, if required. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe or rent any of the above recited premiſes, may apply to the ſubſcriber, living on the firſt-mentioned farm, who will give an indiſputable title for the ſame, or any part thereof

¶ JOSEPH PHIPPS, ſenior.

TO be ſold by public vendue, on Wedneſday, the 15th day of April next, upon the premiſes, a valuable plantation, ſituate in Briſtol townſhip, and county of Philadelphia, about 8 miles from Philadelphia, and two miles from Germantown, adjoining the road leading from Germantown to the old York road, and from thence to the Lime Kiln road, containing 139 acres, being the ſame where Samuel Powell, deceaſed, lately lived. There is on ſaid place a dwelling-houſe two ſtories high, four rooms on a floor, a good kitchen, barn, and other out-houſes, and a good bearing orchard of grafted fruit; about 30 acres of ſaid land is exceeding good meadow, well watered, 50 acres extraordinary well wooded, the remainder good fertile plow land; the whole well watered by conſtant ſprings. Alſo another piece of land (adjoining the above tract) containing 14 acres, extraordinary good, 5 acres of which is exceedingly well timbered. The conditions will be made known at the time of ſale, by

† CHRISTIAN WARNER.

STOLEN the 17th inſtant, at night, out of George Cooper's ſkinner's ſhop, near Poole's bridge, in the Northern Liberties of this city, 22 dreſt buckſkins of brained leather, ready ſmoaked, of a middle ſize, marked with holes croſs the head, made with an awl, ſome more, and ſome leſs, juſt ready to finiſh off; but as the holes may be cut off, by cutting away the neck, yet they may be ſeen. Whoever brings the ſaid ſtolen ſkins to George Cooper, and the thief, ſo as he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, paid by

March 21, 1767. GEORGE COOPER. §

By AUTHORITY,

By the AMERICAN COMPANY,

At the new THEATRE, in Southwark, on Saturday, the 28th Inſtant, will be preſented a Tragedy, written by Shakeſpear, altered by Mr. Betterton, called,

MACBETH.

Macbeth, by Mr. HALLAM.
Macduff, by Mr. DOUGLASS.
Duncan, by Mr. ALLYN.
Banquo, by Mr. MORRIS.
Lenox, by Mr. WALL.
Seyton, by Mr. TOMLINSON.
Witches, by Mrs. HARMAN, Miſs WAINWRIGHT, and Mrs. TOMLINSON.
Malcolm, by Mr. GODWIN. Flean, by Miſs DOWTHWAIT.
Donaldbain, by Mr. PLATT. Officer, by Mr. GRAVILLE.
1ſt Murderer, by Mr. ALLYN. 2d Murderer, Mr. MATTHEWS.
Hecate, by Mrs. HARMAN.
Lady Macduff, by Mrs. DOUGLASS.
Lady Macbeth, by Miſs CHEER.

With the Original MUSICK;

The Vocal Parts by Mr. WOOLLS, Miſs WAINWRIGHT, Miſs HALLAM, Mrs. HARMAN, Mrs. MORRIS, Mrs. WALL, &c.

To which will be added a FARCE, called,

The ORACLE.

To begin exactly at Six o'Clock.----*Vivant Rex & Regina.*

No Perſons can, on any Pretence whatſoever, be admitted behind the Scenes.----Tickets are ſold at the London Coffee-Houſe, at Mr. Francis's, at the Queen's Head, in Water-ſtreet, at Mr. George Hawkins's, in Walnut-ſtreet, and at Mrs. Scott's, in Lombard-ſtreet, where Places for the Boxes may be taken.----Ladies and Gentlemen will pleaſe to ſend their Servants at Four o'Clock, to keep their Places in the Boxes.----BOXES 7s. 6d. PIT 5s. GALLERY 3s.

THE late partnership of SMITH and Company being dissolved, the business is carried on at the same place as before, where all orders will be thankfully received, and punctually complied with, by T. SMITH. ‡

Reading Town, Berks County, March 16, 1767.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given, that the Subscriber has lately set up an Inn, or public House of Entertainment, in the said Town, at the Sign of King George the Third, near the Court House, on the North Side of Penn-street, and East Side of Callowhill-street, being a good Stand, and an old accustomed Tavern; where he has good Accommodations, for the Reception of Gentlemen Travellers, &c. And as he purposes to use his utmost Endeavours to oblige all Persons who favour him with their Custom, he hopes to meet with such Encouragement from the Public as his Merit deserves.

The Conveyancing Business is also carried on by him, in its several Branches, as usual, with Secrecy and Dispatch.

The Subscriber has for Sale, which may be entered on immediately, a certain Messuage, Plantation, or Tract of Land, containing 138 Acres and Allowance, within two Miles of said Town, 14 Acres thereof is good watered Meadow, and as much more may be made; there is a constant Stream of Water through the whole, with great Plenty of Springs, very convenient for an Oil or Fulling Mill, both of which are greatly wanted in these Parts, and if either were erected, and carefully drove on, might be very advantageous to the Purchaser.

Also a Tract of Land, situate in Robeson Township, about 7 Miles from Reading, near a Grist and Saw-mill, and a public Road, containing about 70 Acres, 6 Acres, or thereabouts, can be made Meadow, from a Spring of Water issuing out of the same.

Also a two Story Stone Messuage, large Barn and Stables, and Lot of Ground, in the said Town of Reading, compleatly finished, situate on the South Side of Penn-street, the fourth Lot from the Court-house in the Centre Square, very convenient for a Store, Tavern, or private Family.

And also another Messuage or Tenement, and Lot of Ground, situate in said Town, a Corner of Richard and Lord-streets; which Lot receives the Benefit of the waste Water from the Fountain at the Head of said Town. For Terms of Sale, apply to the Subscriber in Reading aforesaid, where they may be known, and the Premises shewn.

¶ 7s. 6d. JAMES WHITEHEAD, jun.

TO be SOLD, a PLANTATION, containing 262 and a half acres of exceeding good land, about 200 acres cleared, and 20 of extraordinary good meadow; upon which there are two dwelling-houses, a good barn, and orchard; situated in the township of Upper Freehold, in the county of Monmouth, East-Jersey; lately belonging to the estate of Thomas Smith, deceased. The title indisputable. To know the terms, enquire of the owner, near the premises.

¶ JOHN LAWRENCE, Surveyor.

Philadelphia, March 17, 1767.

DRIFTED or stolen, the latter End of December last, from Messieurs WILLING and MORRIS's Wharff, a middle sized Longboat, with her Stern Sheets out, having a Chain about 6 or 8 Feet long, her Stem pieced, has been painted blue, with a white Flourish, her Bottom payed with Turpentine, and is New-England built. Whoever has found the same, and will return her to the Subscriber, at the said Wharff, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by DAVID HEARN. §

New-Jersey, ss. *Trenton, March 15, 1767.*

TO be sold, at public Vendue, on Monday, the 20th of April next, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of John Throckmorton, Tavern-keeper in Amwell, or at private Sale any Time before, the following Houses, and Plantations, late the Estate of William Mullen, deceased, viz. one Plantation, situate in Amwell, Hunterdon County, containing 172 Acres, adjoining the Lands of Barnet Bellows, Henry Woolever, William Dawliss, and the King's Highway, on which is a House, Barn, and good Orchard, late in the Tenure of Jonathan Reid; one small Tenement, and two Acres of Land, fronting the great Road, will suit a Tradesman, also in Amwell. Likewise one other large House, Store-house, Smoke-house and Stables, with about 60 Acres of Land, on which is a good bearing Orchard, and some good Meadow, now in Possession of Mr. Joseph Reid, Merchant; it will suit a Trader, as it has long been a well accustomed Place. The Tavern House, with about 10 Acres of Up-land, and 5 Acres of Meadow, and large Stone Stable, now in the Possession of John Throckmorton, fronting the Road leading to the Union Iron Works, and adjoining the last mentioned Place. And 219 Acres of Wood Land, besides Allowance for Highways, situate in the County of Sussex, near Paulin's Kiln, adjoining Land laid out for the London Company. Also one other Tract, situate near the last mentioned Tract, containing 55 Acres, besides Allowance for Ways, chiefly Bottom, fit to make Meadow, adjoining the London Company's Land. And one other Tract, containing 160 Acres, besides Allowance for Ways, adjoining Lands laid out for Henry Kitchen, near Paulin's Kiln aforesaid. Any Person inclining to purchase any of the above described Lands before the Day of Sale, may apply to the Subscriber, sole Executor of the last Will and Testament of William Mullen, deceased, who will agree on reasonable Terms, as one Half the Purchase Money may remain on Interest for several Years. Attendance will be given, and the Conditions made known, on the Day of Sale, by

¶ SAMUEL TUCKER, Executor.

TO BE SOLD,

A HOUSE and lot, containing 7 acres of land, with a new barn, a good bearing orchard, and 2 acres of choice good meadow, situate in the township of Amwell, and county of Hunterdon, in the province of New-Jersey, very convenient for a store or tavern, having been a tavern for many years past; about 20 miles from Trenton, and 23 miles from New-Brunswick. Any person inclining to purchase the said Place, may know the conditions, by applying to the subscriber, living near the premises. ¶ GEORGE CREED.

To be SOLD, at public Vendue,

By the Subscriber, the last Day of April, if not sold before,

THE old noted FERRY on Delaware, known by the Name of CORYELL's or WELLS's, on the old York Road, in Pennsylvania, joining the Mills built by Philip Atkinson, and now belonging to James M'Evers, and others, in New-York; together with 220 odd Acres of Land, 80 Acres whereof are cleared, and in good Repair, with 10 Acres of watered Meadow, and more may be made. At the Ferry are Buildings of all Kinds, fit for the Entertainment of Travellers, and their Horses, as there has been a House of Entertainment kept these many Years past; and on the other Part is a good Stone House, well finished, 33 Feet by 30, 4 Rooms on a Floor, with Fire Places in each, a Cellar under the whole, a good Pump of Water at the Door, a new frame Barn, 44 Feet by 34, also an Orchard on each Part. The whole to be sold together, or in Parts, as may best suit the Purchaser or Purchasers. The Conditions to be made known at the Day of Sale, which is to be held on the Premises, and to begin about 12 o'Clock on said Day, where Attendance will be given by JOHN CORYELL.

N. B. If the above Place should be sold before said Day, it shall be published in this Gazette. ¶

Philadelphia, 14th of the 3d month, called March, 1767.

WHEREAS JOSIAH WOOD left this city some years ago, and has not been heard of since; if the said Wood be living, and will return in eight months from the date hereof, he may hear of something to his advantage, by applying to the subscriber, living in the said city.

THOMAS SAY.

N. B. The said JOSIAH WOOD is a grandson to Mary Pown, deceased: If he is living, and cannot come to Philadelphia, he is desired to write to the subscriber, so that the letter may be received within the time. §

TO be SOLD, by public vendue, at the London Coffee-House, the latter end of March, or the beginning of April (the public to be hereafter notified of the particular time) the SQUARE OF GROUND *where the Alms-House stands, divided into building lots; a plan of which shall be exhibited at the said Coffee-House, and John Biddle's. The terms of payment are as follow; one fourth to be paid at signing the deed, another fourth in six months, and the remainder in one year from the time of sale, without interest; or the last payment to be changed into a ground-rent, equal to interest of money, redeemable at any time within seven years from the sale aforesaid.*

Lancaster, March 14, 1767.

BY Virtue of His Majesty's Writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, by public Vendue, on Monday, the 30th Instant, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premises, situate in Bethel Township, Lancaster County, two valuable Plantations and Tracts of Land, the one containing 230 Acres; the other 160 Acres, more or less; on which there is a Town erected, called Fredericksburgh, with all the Appurtenances thereto belonging; late the Property of John Snuvely, and taken in Execution by

JOHN BARR, Sheriff.

PURSUANT to the last will and testament of John Fairlamb, Esq; deceased, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at Robert Hall's, the sign of the Buck, in Concord township, Chester county, on Thursday, the second day of April next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, two full equal and undivided sixth parts, of the eastermost moiety or half part of a certain messuage or tenement, plantation and tract of 200 acres of land, situate in Concord aforesaid, formerly belonging to Joseph Nicklin, deceased. Attendance will be given, and the conditions made known, by the under-written executors,

HENRY HALE GRAHAM, FREDERICK FAIRLAMB.

N. B. All persons indebted to the said deceased's estate, are once more requested to pay to prevent trouble; and those who have any demands, are desired to be expeditious in calling on the said executors, as the time for a final settlement draws near. §

The Subscriber desires to inform the PUBLIC,

THAT several persons incline to become purchasers of a plantation he advertised some weeks past in this paper, if he would divide the same into small lots; he therefore thinks proper to put the sale off till the 28th of this instant, when the following lots will be sold, at six o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-House, viz. No. 1, containing about 5 or 6 acres of good land, 2 and a half of the same is meadow, with a good new two story frame house, two rooms on a floor, and a new barn and orchard. No. 2 contains about 4 acres, two acres meadow, the rest garden and orchard, with a frame house, and four large asparagus beds. No. 3 contains about 6 acres of good up-land. No. 4 contains about the same quantity. One half of the money to be paid down, the rest in a year after, with interest. A plan of the whole may be seen at the London Coffee-House, or on the premises, about two miles from this city, adjoining Robert Smith's plantation, on the five mile round road. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber, living at the upper end of Front-street, opposite John Philips's rope-walk.

JAMES LOWNES.

N. B. Also a lot of drained meadow, containing about 4 acres, situate on Greenwich Island, to be sold by private sale. Enquire of JOHN or JOSEPH LOWNES. ¶

TO be SOLD or LETT, and may be entered on the first of April next, by the subscriber, living near Philadelphia, in the township of Blockley, two tracts of land, containing 155 acres, with allowance, adjoining each other, the land being in the Great Valley, and adjoining the lands of Isaac Davis, Esq; of Trediffryn, and the widow Christy, about 20 miles from Philadelphia, 80 acres cleared, part of which is very good meadow, the up-land for the most part newly limed, the other well timbered; there are on said land, one stone dwelling-house, two rooms on a floor, one log-house, two rooms on a floor, and another log-house adjoining it, a good barn and stables, and other out-houses, a good bearing orchard, a lime kiln, with an extraordinary quarry of the best of lime stone, and very easily got; there is a very good conveniency for building a mill, or any other water works, the Valley Creek runs through the land, which is a never failing stream. Any person or persons inclining to purchase the whole, or part thereof, may know the terms, by applying to the subscriber, who will make an indisputable title. JOSEPH MITCHELL.

TO be SOLD by publick vendue, by the subscriber, in Providence township, Philadelphia county, on the 28th day of this instant March, a valuable plantation and tract of land, situate in the said township, adjoining the river Schuylkill, containing about 210 acres, whereon are erected a dwelling-house, barn and stables, upwards of thirty acres of meadow already made, and in good order, great part thereof watered, and the remainder may be watered with very little expence, and about fifteen acres of meadow may yet be made; the whole plantation well watered. Also one other plantation adjoining the aforesaid, containing about 60 acres, whereon are a dwelling-house, barn and stables, about 8 acres of meadow, some part thereof remarkably good; very suitable for a tradesman, it being divided from the other tract by a great road; to be sold together or separate, as may best suit the purchaser. The conditions will be made known at the time and place of sale. † SAMUEL RICHARDSON.

N. B. The said plantations are within a few miles of several forges, merchant mills, and Worship-houses of various denominations. †

TO be SOLD, by way of public vendue, on Wednesday, the first day of April, a Plantation, containing 111 acres and a half of land, 50 acres of clear plow land, 10 acres of meadow, and the most part good land; a new house, partly finished, 41 feet front, 25 feet deep, a cellar under the whole; there are five fire-places, three rooms below, and three above, an entry through the house, a kitchen 15 feet square, a barn 20 feet front, and 30 feet deep, a good stone well, garden, and young orchard. There has been a tavern kept there these 7 years; it lies in Maidenhead, one mile and a half from Trenton, on the post road leading from Philadelphia to New-York. The plantation to be paid for in three yearly payments, though the buyer may have longer time, on paying Interest, and giving good security. There will likewise be sold two horses, beds and bedding, many other kinds of houshold furniture, and farming utensils, and the winter crop in the ground. If the plantation is not sold, it will be lett on the aforesaid day, when due attendance will be given, by

* JAMES HANKINSON, and KENNETH HANKINSON.

A COMMODIOUS TAN-YARD, South East of the Barracks, to be Lett by JOSHUA EMLEN. ¶

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Monday, the 30th day of this instant March, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be sold by vendue, on the premises, a messuage and plantation, with about 107 acres of good land thereunto belonging, situate in Charlestown township, in the county of Chester, bounded by lands of Joel Martin, Alexander Balla, Amos Jones, and others; there is a good house and barn, and a good bearing orchard thereon, a valuable quantity of meadow ground, &c. late the estate of Samuel Martin, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by

JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

N. B. There is a crop of wheat in the ground on the premises, to be sold at said time.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Monday, the 30th day of this instant March, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by vendue, on the premises, a stone messuage and plantation, with about 38 acres of land thereunto belonging, on which some good meadow may be made, situate in Charlestown, in the county of Chester; bounded by lands of Samuel Harvey, Daniel John, Isaac David, and others; there are also two stacks of hay, and a crop of wheat in the ground on the premises, to be sold on said day, being late the estate and effects of Amos Jones, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Tuesday, the 31st day of this instant March, at 10 o'clock in the morning, on the premises, will be sold by vendue, a certain messuage and plantation, with about 175 acres of land thereunto belonging, having a barn and good orchard thereon, and some meadow ground, situate in Charlestown township, in the county of Chester, bounded by lands of Thomas James, Thomas Howell, vacant land, and other land of Pergrine, deceased, late the estate of Thomas Pergrine, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of levari facias to me directed, on Tuesday, the 31st day of this instant March, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by vendue, on the premises, a certain messuage and plantation, with about 92 acres of land thereunto belonging, situate in Charlestown township, in the county of Chester, on which there is a good house, stone barn, an orchard, and some good meadow ground, bounded by lands of Peter Mather, deceased, Andrew Turk, Thomas David, &c. late the estate of Thomas Pergrine deceased, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of levari facias to me directed, on Wednesday, the first day of April next, will be sold by vendue, on the premises, at 10 o'clock in the morning, a certain messuage or tenement, with about 176 acres of mostly woodland thereunto belonging, situate in Tredyfryn, in the said county, bounded by lands of Henry John, the line of the manor of Bilton, and other lands of Thomas John deceased, late the estate of the said Thomas John, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Wednesday, the first day of April next, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, will be sold by vendue, a certain messuage and tenement, and about 100 acres of excellent good land thereunto belonging; on which is plenty of good lime stone, situate in the Great Valley, in Tredyfryn, in the county of Chester, bounded by lands of John Havard, Isaac Davis, Esq; Nathan Evans, and other land of Thomas John deceased; late the estate of said Thomas John, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Thursday, the 2d day of April next, about 10 o'clock in the morning, on the premises herein mentioned, will be sold by vendue, horses and cattle, implements of husbandry, wheat in the ground, and variety of houshold furniture, and other things, too tedious to insert. As also a certain messuage and plantation, and about 150 acres of land thereunto belonging, a barn and other buildings thereon, situate in the township of East Bradford, bounded by lands of John Lewis, Abel Griffith, Susanna Liggett, and others; late the estate of John Huggins, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by

JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, on Friday, the 3d day of April next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, will be sold by vendue, a certain piece or parcel of good land, situate in the township of Thornberry, in the county of Chester, containing 49 acres and an half, bounded by lands of John Briggs, and other lands of Thomas Yarnall deceased, late the estate of the said Yarnall, seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by

JOHN MORTON, sheriff.

TO be SOLD at public vendue, on Tuesday, the 31st of March next, (or any time before at private sale) a valuable farm, containing about 320 acres of land, situate in the Township of Amwell, in the county of Hunterdon, West New-Jersey, about 200 acres thereof cleared, and in good fence, the remainder well timbered; it is kind good land for wheat, a sufficient quantity of meadow cleared, and in clover, timothy and spear grass, and more might be made, great part of which might readily be watered with little expence; on said premises is pleasantly situated a good brick house, genteelly finished, two stories high, 48 feet long, and 33 feet wide, cellars under the whole, four rooms on a floor, a fire-place in each, with a large entry, and the same above, a good brick kitchen and stove room adjoining, with a well of constant good water by the door; a new brick shop, a few rods from the house, with a counting-room, cellar, &c. a large frame barn, covered with cedar shingles, barracks, cow-house, &c. mostly new, and in good repair; several good bearing orchards, consisting of a large collection of the best grafted fruit; a stone grist-mill laid in lime and sand, 50 feet long, and 40 feet wide, with two pair of stones, in good order, boults, hoists, &c. by water; it stands on the south-branch of Rariton River, a never failing stream of water, in the center of a plentiful wheat country, where any quantity might be bought reasonable; it is 25 miles from Trenton, and the same distance from Brunswick, 12 miles from Delaware River, which is navigable great part of the year to Philadelphia, it being conveniently situated for New-York or Philadelphia markets, and a good place for trade, there having been a store kept for a number of years past; there is near the mill several convenient buildings for a miller, coopers, &c. The mill will be sold separate from the farm, if required, with a sufficiency of meadow, timber land, &c. to accommodate it, as might suit the purchaser. At the same time will be sold with the above farm, a lot of wood land, containing between 60 and 70 acres, well timbered, about 3 quarters of a mile distant, with good level ground for a road to the same.

It is expected the purchaser will pay one third of the purchase money on the executing the deed, one third a year after, and the remaining third at two years, or might have any reasonable time to make the two last payments, paying interest, and giving security, if required. If it should suit the purchaser, they can have the stock on the farm at a very reasonable price, consisting of horses, cattle, sheep, &c. An indisputable title will be given for the premises, by me ¶ 76. GEORGE READING.

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